THE WEATHER

Fair and colder tonight and Saturday; moderate west to northwest winds.

THE LOWELL SUN

6 O'CLOCK

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FIRE IN HIGH SCHOOL ANNEX

Ford Plans To Solve Country's Coal Problem

CONFERENCE AT FALL RIVER

Important Developments in Cotton Textile Industry Looked For Today

Executive Committee of Mill Men and Textile Council Discuss Wage Increase

FAL RIVER, March 23.—The executive committee of the manufacturers, together with the Fall River Textile council and the committee of representative citizens, went into conference at 2 o'clock this afternoon in the rooms of the Manufacturers in the Massasoit-Pocasset bank building to discuss the request of the council for an advance of 15 per cent in wages effective April 2.

The manufacturers were represented by President James E. Osborn, treasurer of the Merchants Manufacturing Co., Charles M. Shove, treasurer of the Granite mills, Frank L. Carpenter, treasurer of the Davis mills, Nathan Durfee, assistant treasurer of the American Printing Co., William N. McLane, treasurer of the Seaconnet mills, William L. S. Brayton, treasurer of the Sagamore Manufacturing Co., Simeon B. Chase, treasurer of the King Philip mills, members of the executive committee and J. Edward Newton, treasurer of the Bernard Manufacturing Co., and the Troy C. & W. Manufacturing Co., and George D. Flint, treasurer of the Ancona Co.

It was expected that the conference would last several hours. At the last moment, a change was necessitated in the personnel of the citizens' committee, due to the fact that Rt. Rev. Mgr. J. A. Prevost had not returned from the south where he has been for the past few weeks but it was announced that one of Mgr. Prevostis curates would probably represent him.

FALL RIVER, March 23.—Important developments in the cotton textile industry here were looked for today when the executive committee of the Cotton Manufacturers' association was to meet the textile council to discuss the demand of the latter for a wage increase of 15 per cent.

The proposal of the manufacturers that a committee of disinterested citizens be admitted to the conference was accepted by the textile council yesterday. The members of the citizens committee, who will take no part in the wage deliberations but will act as "listeners," were selected by both parties to the negotiations. They are: Right Rev. Mgr. James E. Cassidy, Right Rev. Mgr. Jean A. Prevost, Rev. Dr. E. C. Herrick, Rev. Manuel A. Silva and Judge Edward F. Hanify.

A demand by President Thomas F. McMahon of the United Textile Workers for a wage increase of 29½ per cent, restoring the wage schedule to the 1920 basis has been disregarded by the manufacturers since November. Workers affiliated with the United Textile organization — including the doffers, sweepers and third hands—in January authorized President McMahon to call a strike. At a mass

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FRENCH TROOPS IN RUHR TO BE REINFORCED

PARIS, March 23.—(By the Associated Press) The French troops in the Ruhr will be reinforced by 20,000 men within a few days, War Minister Maginot announced today in the chamber of deputies.

THE CRY BABY

Don't be a cry baby. Don't coddle yourself. Don't be afraid of getting hurt.

You ought to save money. Few people can save money without denying themselves more or less. This hurts, but no one can be a man who is not willing to suffer in the present for advantage in the future.

Interest begins April 1 in our Savings Department.

Old Lowell National Bank

BANDITS FLEE WITH $40,000

Teller of Southern Illinois National Bank and Two Guards Report Robbery

Held Up at Approach of St. Louis Bridge—Bandits Made Their Escape

EAST ST. LOUIS, Ill., March 23.—Samuel D. Barker, a teller of the Southern Illinois National bank, reported to the police that bandits robbed him and two guards of $40,000 at the east approach of the municipal free bridge today. The bandits escaped. The money was being taken to the Illinois Institution from the First National bank in St. Louis, Barker stated.

FARRAR-TELLEGEN CASE

Counsel Denies That Miss Larrimore Was Guilty of Relations With Tellegen

NEW YORK, March 23.—Denial that Miss Stella Larrimore, 19-year-old actress and sister of Francine Larrimore, Broadway star, was guilty of intimate relations with Lou Tellegen, was made today by her counsel at a hearing in the divorce suit brought against the actor by Geraldine Farrar.

Lewis B. Brodsky, counsel for the young girl, obtained from Referee Mahony an adjournment of one week in order that he might peruse the record pertaining to the alleged courtship of "Miss L" by Tellegen and produce his client at an open hearing to make public denial of the charges in which her name appeared.

"Miss L" was one of three corespondents named by the diva and testimony was given at the last hearing by detectives employed by Miss Farrar, that while Tellegen was playing here in 1921, in the title role of "Don Juan," he many times escorted "Miss L" to her apartment on Riverside Drive and once spent the night there.

After this evidence had become public, Miss Francine Larrimore and other members of the family denied the charges vigorously, contending that the evidence was simply "the dirty frame-up of hired detectives."

Today—at what was scheduled to be the final hearing in the divorce suit—Brodsky and Samuel Untermyer, counsel for the singer, engaged in a tilt over a stipulation in the adjournment order.

Mr. Untermyer wished Mr. Brodsky to agree to produce the girl next week. This Mr. Brodsky refused and the referee upheld him.

Miss Larrimore did not appear herself at today's hearing. Her counsel declared that, under the civil practice act, he could if he desired, demand a trial by jury of the charges of misconduct in which his client was mentioned.

Counsel for Mr. Tellegen, who has entered no defense to the suit so far, did not appear at today's hearing.

RIVER SLIGHTLY HIGHER AT PAWTUCKET DAM

The Merrimack river was slightly higher at the Pawtucket dam this morning, with an increase of approximately 200 second feet over yesterday's volume. Ice above the dam on the Pawtucket street side begins to show signs of breaking up and a small quantity did detach itself this forenoon and moved down to the gate house, but scarcely any of it went over the flash boards.

The ice went out of the river last year at 12 o'clock, noon, on Wednesday, March 15. Already it is more than a week later this year, with indications that it may be some time next week before the big break-up occurs.

Easter Cards

NOVELTIES, FAVORS AND DECORATIONS

Special Decorations made to order in our Dennison Dept.

PRINCE'S

106-108 MERRIMACK ST.

Early Morning Fire in the High School Annex Closes Girls' Vocational and Continuation Schools

WILD SCENE IN FRENCH CHAMBER AS POINCARE DENOUNCES BERTHON

Premier Calls Communist Deputy an "Abominable Scoundrel"—Deputies Hammer Desks and Ushers Run About Trying to Restore Order—Premier Angered by Insinuations That He Was Controlled by Royalist Leader

PARIS, March 23.—By the Associated Press) Premier Poincare started a scene of wild disorder in the chamber of deputies today when he called Communist Deputy Andre Berthon an "abominable scoundrel."

The premier was angered by communist insinuations that he was controlled by Deputy Leon Daudet, the Royalist leader.

The chamber immediately went wild while deputies hammered their desks and the ushers ran about trying to restore order.

The presiding officer vainly rang his bell for a quarter of an hour to get a hearing and calm the chamber down.

"That man," shouted M. Poincare, pointing at Deputy Berthon, "dared to say he had against me and mine abominable evidence which I feared would be published."

"He lied when he said it," the premier angrily ejaculated.

The deputies, most of whom had not

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MARCH ISSUE OF HIGH SCHOOL REVIEW

The March issue of the Lowell High School Review made its appearance in school today and by the end of the first recess the supply was practically exhausted. This number contains the usual departments of "Knocks," "Exchanges," "Society Notes," "Athletics," etc., and it is also embellished with several pages written by Charlie Connors that are entitled, "Name Your Shot Glee Club." This item is arranged as a concert program and is replete with humor and with personages well known among the students.

Under the heading of "Society Notes" is given information as to the committees and plans for the Girl Officers' ball which is to be held on April 6. The chairmen of the committees are as follows: Miss Sara O'Brien, refreshment committee; Margaret Flynn, reception committee; Elinor MacBrayne, program committee, Juanita Johnston, decoration committee; and Ruth Graves, novelty dance committee.

BUILDING MANAGER FOR AUDITORIUM

Until such a time as Payson Dana, civil service commissioner, returns from a Florida trip, no further steps will be taken in regard to the election of a custodian and building manager for the Memorial Auditorium.

Mayor John J. Donovan and Solicitor Jeremiah J. O'Sullivan conferred with Secretary Gilbert of the commission yesterday afternoon and upon the commissioner's return to Boston whatever facts the mayor has, which he feels might have a bearing upon the eligibility of Collin H. MacKenzie for the position of custodian, will be placed before Mr. Dana.

Indian Killed, Nine Captured

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, March 23.—Word was received here today that in a skirmish late yesterday between the renegade Piutes and a white posse near Wash Comb, southeastern Utah, one Indian was killed and five braves and four squaws were captured.

Rome's Telegraph Office Damaged by Fire

ROME, March 23.—(By the Associated Press)—Rome's central telegraph office was seriously damaged by fire today. Many of the automatic sending instruments were destroyed. Telegraphic communication with foreign countries was interrupted but service to the principal Italian cities was partly restored. The damage was several million lire.

Silk Stockings

For Easter

Women's Silk Stockings, all silk, also lisle thread feet and tops—durable. Black, dark brown, cordovan, gray, new suede, beige and other new shoe shades, $1.95 and up

MAKER & McCURDY

Corset Shop 198 Merrimack St.

LOSS ESTIMATED AT $30,000

Fire Started in Boiler Room —Two Alarms Sent in From Box 217

Greatest Damage on Third Floor Where Flames Broke Through Air Shaft

Fire early this morning swept through the Kirk street end of the high school annex in Paige street, did damage to the extent of approximately $30,000 and necessitated the temporary abandonment of all sessions of the girls' vocational and continuation schools.

The fire apparently had its origin in or near waste paper containers in the boiler room in the basement and had been burning for some time before it was discovered shortly before 4 o'clock. Two alarms, the first at 3.47 and the secon dat 4.05 o'clock, were sent in from Box 217.

The greatest amount of damage occurred on the third floor where the flames broke out through an air shaft, burned a gaping hole in the roof and practically destroyed two continuation class rooms at that end of the corridor. Vast quantities of water were poured into the building from a score

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MORE BIG REAL ESTATE DEALS REPORTED

Two real estate transactions of importance were effected today through the office of Walter E. Guyette. One involves about $35,000 and the other close to $12,000. The first deals with the transfer of the large tenement block at the junction of Lakeview avenue and Aiken street, formerly owned by Nellie J. Libbey and more recently by Michael Daly. This property is numbered 708 to 726 Lakeview avenue and 725 to 739 Aiken street. It contains 18 tenements and seven stores and stands on a land area of 10,375 sq. feet. The purchaser was Victor E. Dozois and the sale price is said to be in the vicinity of $35,000.

The other deal has to do with a brand new residence at 91 Florence avenue. This is a house containing nine rooms with all the modern conveniences, and in fact one of the finest residences in that section of the city. The land area in this deal consists of 6093 square feet. The building was recently erected by Horace P. Beals, who sold it to Mrs. Catherine F. Grady, who bought for occupancy.

Sold to Dr. Fishman

The property located at the corner of Merrimack and Cabot streets, owned by the St. Jeanne d'Arc Credit union, has been sold to Dr. Maurice Fishman, who has purchased for investment purposes.

The property consists of a three-story brick building containing two stores and a lodging house, and 3,500 square feet of land. Dr. Fishman is planning to remodel the street floor into four stores and also to make some alterations in the upper portion of the building at an expense of about $10,000. The sale was effected through the office of T. H. Elliott, assisted by George DeLoriers, and the sale price is said to be in the vicinity of $30,000.

PLOT TO OVERTHROW THE PRUSSIAN GOVERNMENT

BERLIN, March 23.—(By the Associated Press) The investigation by the Prussian minister of the interior into the activities of reactionary organizations is reported to have led to the discovery of a plot, modelled on the famous Kapp Putsch to overthrow the government.

It is officially stated that the investigators' searches in Berlin, Kassel, Hanover, Madgeburg and other towns, revealed material of a very compromising character for the anti-Semitic freidheit party.

According to the Vossische Zeitung, the conspirators' plan included overthrowing the government of the Reich, and Prussia, assassination of the socialist ministers, dissolution of the reichstag, proclamation that the Weimar constitution was null and void and substitution of the so-called "National Dictatorship" with anti-Semitic and national socialist leaders.

Revolution Set for March 31

LONDON, March 23. (By the Associated Press.)—The Prussian minister of the interior, Herr Servering, told the Prussian diet today, according to a Central News despatch from Berlin, that Lieut. Rossbach, recently arrested in Berlin, had planned a revolution which was set to break out by March 31, at the latest.

N. Y. AND BOSTON CLEARINGS

NEW YORK, March 23.—Exchanges, $736,000,000; balances, $82,000,000.

READ DEPOT CASH MARKET'S AD. ON PAGE 12

PIGGLY WIGGLY HEAD YIELDS

Offers to Settle With Traders Who Sold Stock "Short" on Basis of $100 a Share

Makes Proposal "To Avoid Law Suits With Various Brokerage Houses"

MEMPHIS, Tenn., March 23. (By the Associated Press.)—Clarence Saunders, president of the Piggly Wiggly Stores, Inc., today offered to settle with New York traders who sold stock of the corporation "short" on the basis of $100 a share.

Mr. Saunders made public the following telegram, addressed to the New York stock exchange:

"To avoid law suits with various brokerage houses, I propose for full settlement today of all accounts of class A common stock, Piggly Wiggly Stores, Inc., that I will furnish this stock upon application to the National Bank of Commerce of New York and upon payment of $100 a share."

SAYS R. R. RATES TO N. E. JUST AND REASONABLE

WASHINGTON, March 23.—Railroad rates on export and import commodities moving between central portions of the United States and the ports of Boston, Fall River, New Bedford, New London, Portland, Me., and Providence, are just and reasonable, in the opinion of an examiner for the interstate commerce commission who filed his report on complaints of the New England cities.

New England shippers and manufacturers had alleged discrimination by reason of lower rates given to Philadelpia, Baltimore and other Atlantic ports.

The examiner's report is yet to be passed on by the commission.

Roads Must File Report

WASHINGTON, March 23.—An order was issued today by the Interstate commerce commission requiring all roads to report by May 1 as to their earnings during the year 1922 and to pay over the the government under the transportation act, one half of the amount by which such earnings exceeded a six per cent return on the value of the investment.

TO PROBE CHARGES OF SUGAR COMPANY

WASHINGTON, March 23—Charges that there is a conspiracy in the sugar trade to raise prices were said at the department of justice today to be of sufficient gravity to warrant a preliminary inquiry by the Federal government legal officers. A conference was arranged between acting Attorney-General Seymour and Secretary Hoover with a view of joint action.

A representative of the department of justice also was directed to obtain from Basil Manley, director of the People's Legislative Service, who wrote to President Harding in connection with the sugar situation information he had to substantiate conspiracy charges.

If this information warrants a formal investigation department of justice officials said, the commerce department also will participate. Secretary Hoover was charged by Mr. Hanley with being largely responsible for the recent bulge in the sugar market, because of a department statement which was interpreted as forecasting a shortage.

FORD TO SOLVE COAL PROBLEM

Confirmation of Report That Auto Maker Had Purchased 120,000 Acres of Coal Land

Intends to Solve Country's Coal Problem "By Using Every Piece of Coal Twice"

DETROIT, March 23.—(By the Associated Press) Official confirmation today at the offices of Henry Ford at Dearborn that the automobile manufacturer had purchased 120,000 acres of undeveloped coal lands in Kentucky, was coupled with the statement that Mr. Ford intended to solve the country's coal problems "by using every piece of coal twice."

By purchase of the property, it was announced, Mr. Ford comes into possession of a vast tract of virgin coal lands with a reserve coal supply of 500,000,000 tons. This property, added to other coal lands previously purchased, bring the total number of acres of such land owned by the manufacturer to 165,000.

From these holdings, Mr. Ford hopes that within a year will come sufficient coal to supply all his factories in every part of the country, all the factories and mills manufacturing various products for his own concerns, as many of the industries in this district as care to buy coal from him and have left fuel sufficient to supply a part of the domestic demand of the country.

Mr. Ford, it was announced, will ask all industrial users of his coal to install furnaces that will remove only the gas and similar substances, leaving a fuel unimpaired for domestic purposes.

The coal, after this process, would be sold to heat the homes of hundreds of thousands of workers throughout the country. The fuel remaining after the gas had been taken out would be even more valuable for home heating purposes than it was before, it was explained.

DECISION ON TAXATION

Am. Tel. & Tel. Co. to Pay Tax in This State and Stockholders Will Be Exempt

BOSTON, March 23.—The legislative committee on taxation, it became known today, will report next week a bill which has been agreed to by officials of the American Telephone and Telegraph Co., whereby the company will pay a tax in this state this year and Massachusetts stockholders will not be required to pay an income tax on their holdings. The company had previously refused to pay a tax which had been imposed for many years, taking the ground that under the law it could not be enforced and that because of the change in the nature of the company's business to that of a holding company it was no longer applicable. Henry F. Long, commissioner of taxation, had then petitioned for passage of a bill to remove the existing exemption of American Telephone stock from taxation under the income tax law.

WILL APPRAISE HIGH SCHOOL FIRE DAMAGE

Frederick F. Meloy, contractor, was appointed by Mayor John J. Donovan this forenoon as an appraiser and adjuster for the city in connection with the extent of fire loss at the high school annex. Mr. Meloy will work with a committee of insurance men, representing the policy holders upon the building and contents.

The building is insured for $70,945, with $6615 additional on the contents. The insurance men holding policies met in the mayor's reception room this morning for the purpose of agreeing upon a plan of action which will result in a speedy adjustment.

Plans for the repair of the building also took shape rapidly today and before 12 o'clock City Building Inspector Francis Connor was at the school, laying out the work to be done.

FIND NO TRACE OF INFANT STRANGLER

Although the local police are still working on the case to establish the party or parties responsible for the alleged strangulation of the two-day-old baby boy who was found in the canal in the Hamilton mill yard last Saturday afternoon, nothing definite has been learned, and it is probable that the murderer will never be known.

FOR IMMEDIATE DELIVERY
OTTO BAG COKE
The O'Neil Coal & Coke Co.
Phone 4130

PRESIDENTIAL PARTY NEARS ST. AUGUSTINE

DAYTONA, Fla., March 23.—Somewhat late on schedule the houseboat Pioneer, carrying President Harding and his vacation party northward, today was on the Halifax river, slowly pushing towards St. Augustine, the terminus of the cruise.

President Harding diverted from his routine to a considerable degree on yesterday, when the boat stopped at Titusville for gasoline and supplies by taking a tour of the town in a shiny new flivver, driven by a young man in khaki.

RIALTO THEATRE

Responding to public demand Manager Hammond of the Rialto theatre has decided to continue the big production "The Streets of New York" for the remainder of the present week. The picture has drawn heavier than any shown at the Rialto for many weeks and has been classed by hundreds as the best the Rialto has had all this year.

BLOOD TRANSFUSION FAILS TO SAVE GAGEN

WORCESTER, March 23.—William H. Gagen died at a hospital here early today following a transfusion of blood from his wife in an effort to save his life. Gagen, a freight handler at the Boston & Albany yards, was crushed between a car and a platform, yesterday. His left leg was amputated at the thigh. His wife hurried to the hospital and gave a pint of her blood when doctors said his condition was critical.

AD MEN GOING TO ATLANTIC CITY

Lowell Advertising club's delegation to this year's annual convention of the Associated Advertising Clubs of the World, will be larger in number than ever, it was announced today. A party will be made up to take in the Atlantic City "annual," scheduled for June 3 to 7. Hotel Traymore has been selected as headquarters for New York state and some of the New England groups.

"On-to-Atlantic City" Committees will shortly be selected and much literature distributed throughout the country, advertising the June programs and attractions. Delegates from the Lowell Advertising club will soon be named.

President C. K. Woodbridge, of the Advertising club of New York, is chairman of the national program committee and promises something of distinctly national interest and importance.

There will be more than 30 departmental sessions in Atlantic City during convention week.

President C. D. A. Grasse of the Lowell club has not yet received programs of the coming annual session of the "Ad" men, but due announcements and distributions will be made when they appear.

DINNER FROCK

A Paris dinner frock of unusual chic is of rose crepe trimmed with gray monkey fur. The fur is applied about the waist and gives the effect of a long fringed peplum.

FAIRBURN'S

LOOK FOR OUR ELECTRIC SIGN

PHONE 788-789 — 12-14 MERRIMACK SQUARE

QUALITY THEN PRICE

Like buying a horse, if you pay a low price you don't get much of a horse; the same way with food. We are trying to sell our food at a fair price, so you will buy it and give us a profit. The more we sell, the cheaper we can sell it—and we both gain.

GROCERIES

AT REDUCED PRICES

Overstocks increase the cost of doing business. Our policy of supplying quality at low prices compels us to have the whole line sell equally. To anyone who uses the items listed below, now is the time to buy. Prices return to normal when stock is reduced. Buy now!

30c Heinz Ketchup.......24¢
15c Black Satin Stove Polish, 10¢
25c Kleanall ....19¢
10c Ken Washing Powder...6¢
35c Jar Fancy Figs......25¢
33c Plum Pudding.......25¢
15c Py Lemon ....10¢
13c D. C. Pie Filling........8¢
4c Herbox Chicken Cubes, 2½¢ Each
17c Sunmaid Raisins, large size, 12¢
39c Hatchet Pineapple....30¢
20c Hatchet Maine Corn...16¢
35c Wales Pure Jelly.....30¢
59c Canton Ginger.........39¢
6c Lava Soap ....5¢
7c Lifebuoy Soap..........5¢
23c Sunnyside Farm Jelly, 16¢
23c Parker Orange Marmalade, 17¢
15c Grandee Olive Butter, 11¢
13c Heinz Tomato Soup....9¢
13c Glass Jar Baked Beans, 7½¢
25c Snider's Baked Beans, 17¢
25c Kater Meat Paste....18¢
33c Certo ....25¢
40c Cross & Black Marmalade, 33¢
15c Square Cocoa, ½-lb. tin, 12¢
7c Star Soap ....5¢
6c Swift's Borax Soap, 4 for 15¢
14c Cream Corn Starch...10¢
13c Large Ivory Soap....10¢
35c Hatchet Peaches.....28¢
6c Evaporated Milk......4½¢
14c Puddine ....10¢
10c Lipton's Jelly Powder, 6¢
35c Armour's Grape Juice, 23¢
12c Jiffy Jell ....8¢
18c Good Value Vanilla..14¢
$1.10 Sunkist Bread Flour, 99¢
8c Blue Rose Rice, lb. .....6¢
15c Silver Floss Sauerkraut, 12½¢

REMEMBER
ALL FIRST QUALITY

Fresh Pork, 12½c lb.

A Trifle Heavy but Good

Legs of Lamb — Small Genuine Springer, lb... 35c — Large Genuine Springer, lb... 30c

SIRLOIN ROAST, lb. .... 35¢
Cuts from our Finest Beef

Legs of VEAL — Fancy Milk Fed Veals, lb.... 23c — Fresh Native Veals, lb..... 18c

FRESH KILLED **TURKEYS** Finest Quality, lb. 47c

Boneless POT ROASTS, lb.........12¢
Finest Milk Fed CHICKENS, lb......39¢
Fresh Western EGGS, doz..........33¢
Elgin Creamery BUTTER, lb........55¢
Packed in Sanitary Pkgs., LARD, lb...16¢
Fresh Assorted CHOCOLATES, lb....33¢
Whole Jumbo Salted PEANUTS, lb...29¢
Chocolate Caramel KISSES, lb.......19¢

BAKERY DEPT.

Hot Cross Buns	25c	Hot Baked Beans, Qt.	25c
Maple Marshmallow Rolls	20c	Hot Brown Bread	10c
Parker House Rolls	16c	Supreme Milk Bread	10c
Fresh Rye Bread	12½c	Fresh Baked Cookies, Doz.	15c
Fresh Dark Fruit Cake, lb.	33c	Whipped Cream Pies	49c
Our Special Pound Cake, Loaf........	50c	Apple or Covered Pies	20c

We Can Make Any SPECIAL CAKES FOR BIRTHDAYS OR WEDDINGS

Fresh Orange or Banana LAYER CAKE — Something New 40c

FAIRBURN'S VEGETABLES

RED RIPE TOMATOES, lb.......	19c	WHITE CAULIFLOWER, lb....	10c	ICEBERG LETTUCE	10c
		NEW BUNCH CARROTS	7½c	NEW CABBAGE, lb.	9c
		SWEET POTATOES, 4 lbs....	15c	FRESH GREEN PEAS, lb....	33c
WASHED SPINACH, Pk.	25c	FRESH ASPARAGUS	59c	FRESH MUSHROOMS, lb....	65c

THE MEN'S SHOP Is on the Street Floor

The Bon Marché DRY GOODS CO.

Mail and Telephone Orders Given Careful Attention

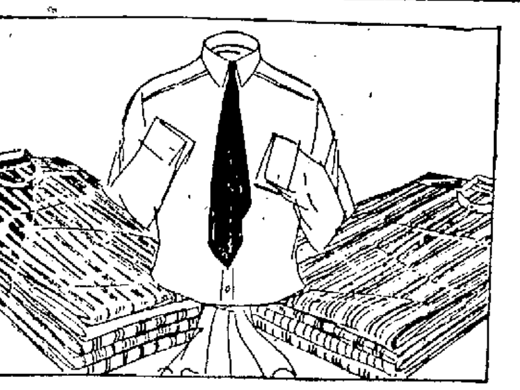
Men's and Boys' Furnishings for Easter

MEN'S SHIRTS

WHITE MERCERIZED CHEVIOT SHIRTS with collar attached, $2.50

FINE QUALITY WOVEN MADRAS $1.50

WHITE ENGLISH BROADCLOTH SHIRTS with satin stripes, $3.50



MEN'S SHIRTS

WHITE SILK STRIPES AND WHITE MERCERIZED CHEVIOT $2.50

SILK MIXTURES AND ALL SILK SHIRTS... $4.50 to $7.50

SILK STRIPE MADRAS, $2.00 and $3.00

MEN'S PAJAMAS—In all the desirable plain colors................ $2, $2.50, $3, $5

MEN'S HICKOK BELTS with initial buckles, ranging in price from $1.50 to $3.50

Get your Victrola for Easter

Come in and let us play for you a beautiful Easter song service by such great artists as Caruso, Homer, McCormack, Harrold and others. While you're here select the Victrola model you would like to own. We can arrange terms of payment.

Why put it off again? Let us send you your Victrola to day!

TERMS AS LOW AS $1.00 PER WEEK

Fourth Floor

"HIS MASTERS VOICE"

Also Headquarters for GULBRANSEN PLAYER PIANOS

BOYS' CLOTHING

A Complete Line of Boys' Junior Suits, Balkan, Oliver Twist, Valentino and Middy styles, in fine wool, jersey and Argentine Tweeds, $4.95, $5.95, $6.95

"Penrod" High Grade Sailor Suits, $10.50, $11.95

Large and extensive line of Boys' Caps, in fancy mixtures, tweeds and polo cloth, 95¢, $1.45, $1.95

Boys' Rain Coats $3.50, $5.50

Hats to match........ 75¢

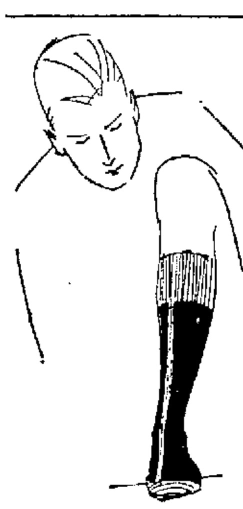
Special Double Texture Rain Coats $3.95

PENROD HIGH GRADE TWO-PANT SUITS, in fine wool cashmeres, in fancy tweeds, sizes 8 to 18. Prices range from $11.95, $14.95, $19.50, $21.50

BOYS' TOP COATS, in wool tweeds and polo cloths. Prices ranging from.............. $8.95, $11.95, $14.95

SPECIAL STURDY ALL WOOL TWO-PANT SCHOOL SUITS, in tweeds and dark mixtures, sizes 8 to 18...... $9.95

—— Street Floor ——



MEN'S HOSIERY

Fine Cotton Socks in black, cordovan and gray .... 25¢

Tripletoe Silk Lisle Socks, all colors .... 50¢

Shawknit Fibre Silk Socks, all colors .... 50¢

Silk Mixed Socks, all colors, pr. 65¢

Phoenix All Silk Socks, all colors .... $1.00 and $1.50

Other Silk Hose, in plain and fancy mixtures, $1.25, $2.50, $2.85

MEN'S NECKWEAR

Fibre Silk Knit Ties .... 50¢
Silk and Wool Crepes $1.00
Wearplus Ties .... $1.00 and $1.50
Other well known makes of Ties........ $1.00 and $2.00

VERY LITTLE FOOD NOW ADULTERATED

WASHINGTON, March 23—Only a small percentage of the great volume of food that enters interstate and foreign commerce is now adulterated or misbranded, said a statement today by the department of agriculture's bureau of chemistry, which is charged with enforcement of the Federal Food and Drugs Act.

"The forms of adulteration most frequently found nowadays affect the pocketbook more often than the health," said the statement.

"Too much water, the cheapest of all adulterants, had been found recently in sauerkraut, canned tomatoes, butter, flour, oysters, canned clams and canned shrimp, and made the basis of prosecutions and seizures. Perhaps one of the most persistent forms of adulteration with which we deal is the sale of cheaper vegetable oils as olive oil."

Speculation On Profits

There was much speculation in Wall Street today as to the profits of Clarence Saunders, president of the Piggly Wiggly Stores, Inc., and his associates in the corner of the class A stock.

Experienced traders estimated his paper profits from $2,000,000 to $7,500,000. Saunders' main problem, according to these men, will be to find a market for the [illegible] shares he bought in the open market.

E. W. Bradford, New York representative of Saunders, said a large number of shor[illegible] before 3 p. m. yesterday to make a settlement at the stipulated price of $150 a share. There is still a large short interest outstanding, he added, and he insisted that the price of $250, set by Mr. Saunders in his ultimatum from Memphis, as the price after 3 p. m. yesterday, would be demanded.

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STEAMER TEXAN STILL AGROUND

BLOCK ISLAND, R. I., March 23.—The steamship Texan aground off Clay Head remained hard and fast today and arrangements were made to lighten part of her cargo for the Pacific coast. The coastguard cutter Acushnet came up through the fog to stand by and with the full lifting today, it was expected that an effort would be made to float her.

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FUNERALS

WALSH—The funeral of Miss Bridget M. Walsh took place this morning at 8 o'clock from her late home, 68 Willow street, and was largely attended by relatives and friends. The funeral cortege proceeded to the Immaculate Conception church, where at 9 o'clock a funeral high mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Owen McQuaid, O.M.I. The choir sang the Gregorian chant, the solos being sustained by Mrs. Hugh Walker and Mr. Charles Smith. Mrs. Hugh Walker presided at the organ. There was a profusion of beautiful floral and numerous spiritual offerings. The bearers were Messrs. Luke Walsh; Michael Walsh, Patrick Callahan, John Brett, Frank O'Brien and James Reynolds. The body was placed in the receiving tomb in St. Patrick's cemetery and the committal prayers were read in St. Bridget's chapel by Rev. Fr. McQuaid, O.M.I. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons.

KERR—The funeral of John R. Kerr, a member of Battery F, during the World war, took place yesterday afternoon from the Funeral church, 236 Westford street. Attending the services, which were conducted by Rev. Appleton Grannis, rector of St. Anne's Episcopal church, were a number of his former associates in the battery, and this delegation acted as an escort at the funeral. The body was placed on the caisson of Battery F and with the military escort was taken to the Edson cemetery, where "Taps" was sounded and a salute to their departed comrade was fired by members of the battery. The bearers were John M. King, Joseph A. Landry, Daniel L. Gray, Joseph T. Dusseault, Jefferson Howard and Robert Petterson, all members of Battery F. Burial was in the family lot, the arrangements being in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

ROBINSON—The funeral of Mrs. Louisa Robinson took place yesterday afternoon from Saunders' Funeral home, 217 Appleton street, and was largely attended. The services were conducted by Rev. Benjamin W. Harris, formerly of this city, but now of Bradford, N. H. There were many floral tributes. The bearers were John B. Billings, Charles Taylor, Walter and Roland Robinson. The body was placed in the receiving tomb at the Edson cemetery, where the committal service was read by Rev. Mr. Harris. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker William H. Saunders.

ABBOTT—The funeral of Mrs. Adelaide O. Abbott took place from her home, 84 Princeton street, yesterday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. Joseph P. Kennedy, pastor of the Highland Union M. E. church. Appropriate selections were sung by the Mendelssohn male quartet. The floral offerings were numerous. The bearers were Warren F. Sanborn, George H. Taylor, Eugene C. Dunbar, Wesley M. Wilder, Ernest E. Shelters and George F. Wagner. Burial was in the family lot in the Lowell cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Edgar H. Douglas, under the direction of Undertaker George W. Healey.

OLSSON—Funeral services for Marion F. Olsson were held at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl A. Olsson, 152 Powell street, yesterday afternoon, Rev. A. B. Clark, pastor of Chelmsford Street Baptist church, officiating. Mrs. A. W. Streeter sang appropriate selections. The flowers were numerous. The body was placed in the receiving tomb in Edson cemetery, where the committal service was read by Rev. Mr. Clarke. The funeral was under the direction of Undertaker W. Herbert Blake.

MATULEWICZ The funeral of John Matulewicz took place at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon from his parents' home, 30 North street, and at 2 o'clock funeral services were held at the Holy Trinity church in High street, Rev Alexander Ogonowski officiating. The body was placed in the receiving tomb at St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertaker Joseph Urbanek had charge of funeral arrangements.

TROD—The funeral of Najib Trod, son of Omar and Annie (Mustapha) Trod, took place yesterday afternoon from the home of his parents, 145 Cushing street. On account of the nature of the disease, burial was private in Westlawn cemetery. Arrangements were in charge of Funeral Director Joseph Albert.

MONTH'S MIND MASS

O'KEEFE—There will be a month's mind mass celebrated at the Immaculate Conception church Monday morning at 8 o'clock for the repose of the soul of Timothy J. O'Keefe.

DEATHS

CONNORS—Michael J. Connors, a well known resident of Lowell, died yesterday in Somerville, N. J. He was the son of Daniel and Bridget (McCarthy) Connors of 27 Howard street, this city, and besides his parents, he leaves one brother, Daniel F., of the Lowell fire department; two sisters, Mrs. Catherine Connors and Mrs. Geo. Demers, and three nephews and three nieces. He was a member of the Fraternal Order of Eagles. The body will be brought to this city by Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

LARCOM—Fred A. Larcom, a native of Chelmsford, died suddenly at his home in Waltham Wednesday, aged 70 years. He is survived by a daughter, Ruth, who made her home with him.

SEFTON—James Sefton, a well known resident of this city and formerly of Arlington, died yesterday, after a brief illness, at the Lowell Corporation hospital. He leaves many relatives in Arlington. The body was removed to the rooms of Undertaker William A. Mack, 70 Gorham street.

VEUILLETTE—George, infant son of George and Laura (Fleury) Veuillette, aged 2 years, 9 months and 26 days, died this morning at the home of his parents, 41 Ward street. Owing to the cause of death, burial took place this afternoon at 4 o'clock in St. Joseph's cemetery. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers Amedee Archambault & Sons.

FISHER—Addie F. Fisher, sister of Mary J. Fisher, died yesterday afternoon at the Chelmsford street hospital. She was taken suddenly ill at her home, 99 East Merrimack street, on Wednesday of last week, and her death comes as a surprise to her acquaintances. She was an attendant of the First Baptist church.

KOUTROUBIS—Mrs. Koutroubis, wife of George Koutroubis and formerly of this city, died yesterday in Washington, D. C., aged 77 years. Besides her husband, she leaves one son, William Koutroubis. The body will be brought to this city by Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

SEFTIN—James Seftin, a well-known resident of this city, passed away Wednesday at the Corporation hospital after a brief illness. He leaves relatives in Arlington, Mass. The body was removed to the rooms of Undertaker William A. Mack, 70 Gorham st.

FUNERAL NOTICES

NELSON—Died, in this city, March 21, at 15 Madison street, Thomas H. Nelson, aged 88 years. Funeral services will be held at Saunders' funeral home, 217 Appleton street, on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends are respectfully invited. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker William H. Saunders.

BARKER—Died, in this city, March 22, at her home, 36 Crosby street, Mrs. Elizabeth Ann Barker, aged 70 years, 10 months and 7 days. Funeral services will be held at Saunders' funeral home, 217 Appleton st., on Sunday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. Friends are respectfully invited. Undertaker William H. Saunders in charge.

MONAHAN—Died, March 21, Michael J. Monahan. Funeral will take place on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock from his late home, 36 Linden street. Services will be held at St. Peter's church at 3 o'clock. On Monday morning at 8 o'clock a solemn high mass of requiem will be sung for the repose of his soul. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons.

CARD OF THANKS

We, the undersigned, wish to express our thanks to our relatives, friends and neighbors for their acts of kindness, words of sympathy and beautiful floral offerings during the illness and death of our dear daughter and sister, Gertrude. We deeply appreciate their kindness and will always hold them in loving and grateful remembrance.

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MR. AND MRS. WALTER WHITE,
MR. AND MRS. JOHN CHRISTIE.

THE SUN IS ON SALE AT THE NORTH STATION, BOSTON

PHILA. BANKER IS INDICTED FOR MURDER

PHILADELPHIA, March 23.—Henry G. Brock, Philadelphia banker, yesterday was indicted on charges of murder and involuntary manslaughter in connection with the killing of three persons by an automobile as they stepped off a street car here several weeks ago. The automobile, according to witnesses, was running at high speed when it crashed into the three persons and sped away.

Brock, with his disabled automobile, was found four blocks from the scene of the accident. When arrested he denied he was involved in the accident.

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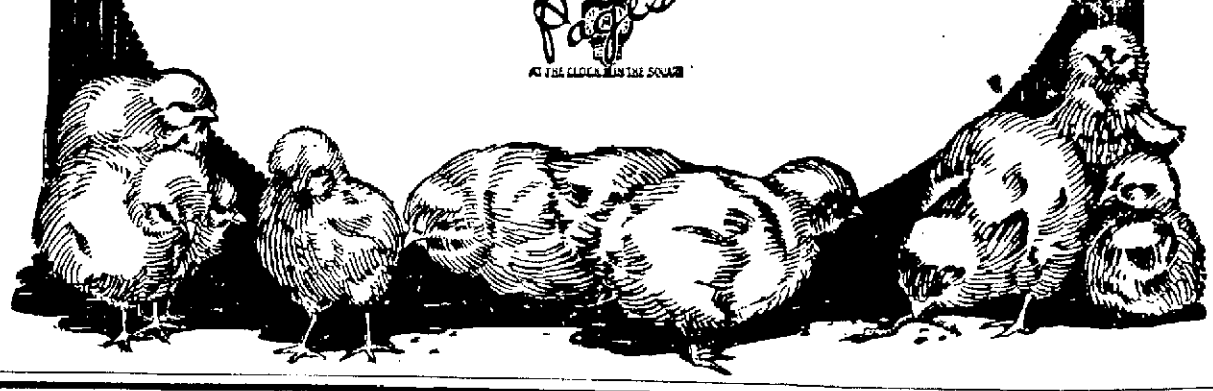

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WAS FOUND NOT GUILTY

Finding for Defendant in Unusual Case Heard in District Court

Michael M. Quealy was found not guilty by Judge Fisher in the district court yesterday afternoon on a complaint charging him with wilful and intentional failure to provide proper heat for tenants in the Parkview Chambers at 43 Nesmith street. The case opened yesterday morning, but owing to the large number of government witnesses, the verdict was not reached until 3.35 in the afternoon.

The complaint was brought by Henry J. Boot, a tenant in the apartments, who contended that his rooms were inadequately heated during the major portion of the winter. Other occupants of the building testified in the same vein, all stating that they had complained to the landlord on divers occasions about the lack of proper heat.

James Morris, the first witness for the defence, said his particular apartment had been heated comfortably enough for his wife and himself, who were among the first tenants to occupy the apartments.

Richard Charles McGrath also stated that he had nothing to complain of as regards heat. Asked if he were satisfied with existing conditions, Mr. McGrath replied that "he could not complain." After considerable questioning, he said he was satisfied.

The janitor, Mr. Arthur J. Brooks, of 56 Pond street, told the court that he has been janitor at the "Parkview" for a period of one year. He said the boiler was cared for regularly every morning and that he kept it well supplied with coal at all times.

DOUBLE FACED

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Federal agents seize Brooklyn warehouse with millions in bonded liquor and arrest two brothers in what they declare to be great withdrawal plot.

SUMMARY OF EARLY MORNING A. P. NEWS

German Chancellor Cuno at Munich says passive resistance to France and Belgium must be sustained in all circumstances.

Carlyon Bellairs, British naval expert, appeals to Admiralty to counteract what he describes as false propaganda in United States about British naval ambitions.

Moscow doctors declare that complete restoration of Premier Lenine's health, is possible that his disabilities are fundamentally due to diseased condition of blood vessels.

Soviet officials met sharp resistance in attempt to seize valuables in Catholic churches of Petrograd, testimony reveals at Moscow trial of head of Roman Catholic church in Russia.

Herbert Hoover in letter made public at New York says it is a hopeless illusion that flow of prosperity to Russia would follow recognition of soviet by United States.

Clarence Saunders' ultimatum to speculators' trap in Piggly Wiggly corner that they would have to settle at $150 a share fails to arouse great excitement in Wall street.

President Harding rides through streets of Titusville, a tiny Florida village, in shiny new Ford.

Mrs. John W. Weeks, taken ill on yacht off Georgia coast, is being taken to Washington on special train and her condition is reported improved.

Kentucky attorneys acting for Peabody syndicate of Chicago, confirm reports that Henry Ford has bought about 120,000 acres of coal lands in Eastern Kentucky.

St. Paul hockey club won from Boston A.A. last night. Score 2 to 1.

GOLD STOCKINGS

London is getting all excited about some new stockings of gold tissue which make you look exactly as if you'd been paddling about in a tub of gold paint.

TEXTILE SCHOOL SHOW CAST ACTIVE

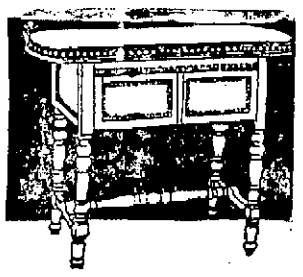
The members of the cast of the Textile school show, "Frinstance," are working long and hard to bring the play up to perfection, and Holly Winkfied, faculty instructor of the play, is whipping them into line in good shape. Production of the show is only a month away and strenuous rehearsals are planned for the next two or three weeks. "Frinstance" is a musical comedy and was written by Ed. Fowle, a member of the graduating class of the school.

The freshmen of the school are making plans now for an Easter dance to be held in the auditorium of the school on April 7. Harry Swain is chairman of the committee in charge and he has arranged for several features that will be a surprise to the freshmen. The proceeds of this dance will go to the athletic fund.

Work on the "Pickout," the annual publication of the senior class, is going along smoothly under the capable direction of Charles Kendall, editor, and the assistant editors.

BILLERICA GRANGE

At a largely attended meeting of Billerica grange held in Gardner Parker hall, Billerica Centre last evening, the first and second degrees were conferred on eight candidates. The meeting was presided over by Master Pearl R. Kinney and routine business was transacted. It was announced that the third and fourth degrees will be conferred on a large class on the evening of April 5.



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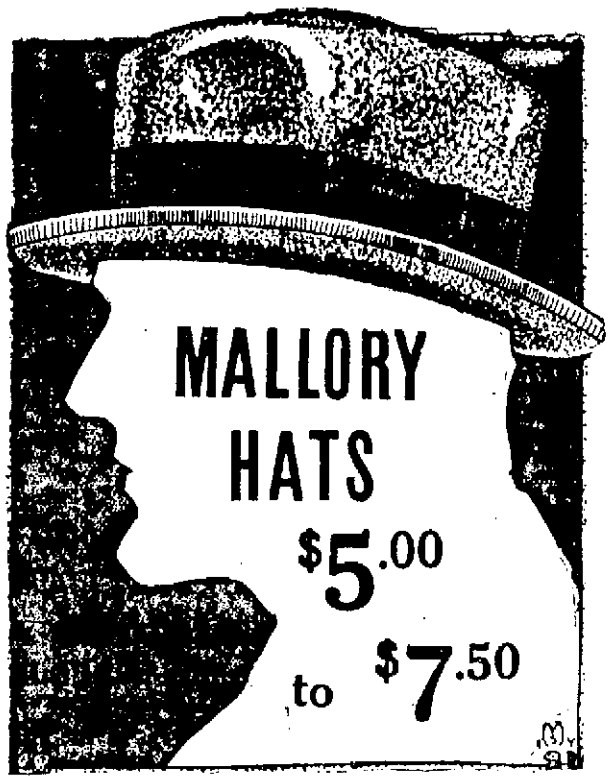

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RED CROSS ASSISTS RUSSIANS IN CHINA

SHANGHIA, March 23.—Large numbers of destitute Russians fled into China during the past winter. Today their situation is serious, and some of them face starvation. Relief measures have been undertaken by various organizations, including the American Red Cross, which has appropriated a preliminary sum of $25,000 to give immediate succor.

It was estimated in February that nearly 60,000 Russians had come into China, Manchuria and Korea, and that probably 25 per cent of this total were entirely restitute. Reports by the American Red Cross from consuls and other officials indicated that a large proportion of the refugees were scattered through Manchuria, with colonies at Kirin, Mukden and Hunchun. In Manchuria the relief work is under the direction of Morgan Palmer.

Meanwhile, various agencies were called on to care for the growing number of Russian expatriates in Shanghai. The number here was considerably swelled early in the year by the arrival of 15 vessels, the fleet under Admiral Stark, on which more than a thousand Russians had fled from Vladivostok when the Red forces took over control of that port.

In Shanghai permisssion to land was denied by the Chinese authorities, but nevertheless several hundred persons from the ships contrived to get ashore before the vessels sailed for Manila. They included about 350 Russian orphan boys who were quartered by charitable organizations in two huge unfurnished houses.

At the present time, with the exception of the Japanese, the Russians outnumber all other foreigners in Shanghai. It is estimated that they total 5,500, half of whom are wholly destitute.

TRIPLE COMBINATION

Complying with a vote taken at the recent town meeting, the board of fire engineers for the town of Dracut has purchased a White triple combination fire truck of 600 gallons capacity. The new machine as soon as delivered, will be placed in the Centre fire station.

HONEYBEES ARE SOMETIMES LAZY

WASHINGTON, March 23.—To speak of honeybees loafing may seem paradoxical, but the alleged industry of honeybees is something of a myth, declares E. F. Phillips, department of agriculture apiculturist.

"The average worker bee in the hands of a poor beekeeper makes only a few trips a day for nectar," said Mr. Phillips recently. "When the bees are rearing a brood the beekeeper must manage the hive so finished work is either removed or properly placed. Otherwise loafing will result. Finished work near the brood slows down field work. Proper conditions within the hive cause the bees to make additional trips to the fields, and thus to increase the honey crop."

Upwards of 1,000,000 people in the United States keep bees, it is estimated, and bee colonies number about 3,000,000. In spring these colonies average about 15,000 bees each and after brood-rearing they number 75,000 or more worker bees. Honey production adds about $50,000,000 annually to the wealth of the nation and provides a valuable addition to the diet of the people.

The idea that bees work for nothing and board themselves is quite erroneous, according to Mr. Phillips. During the main honey-flow the efficient beekeeper must be on the job daily and hourly, as highly skillful work is required of him. The modern beekeeper finds bees more productive than did his predecessor, yet he earns all he gets, Mr. Phillips believes, and in these days of low honey prices he earns more than he actually receives.

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GEN. GREENE SAYS TOO MUCH LAW A MENACE

MONTPELIER, March 23.—One of the greatest dangers to the country is too much law and too much tinkering with the law, United States Senator Frank L. Greene said yesterday at the joint assembly of the legislature.

"Vermont's problem is that of governing a population of a middle-sized city sprear out over a site of 10,000 city spread over a state of 10,000 square miles," he said. "As a result the state has to carry a tremendous overhead."

Lieut. Gov. Franklin S. Billings, who presided, called attention to the facts that although Senator Greene had left school at the age of 13 that he had been successful in newspaper, railroad, military and political fields. Senator Greene, who was formerly editor of the St. Albans Messenger, referred in his address to his 30 years at the pres table in the house.

Gov. Proctor yesterday signed bills prohibiting the use of machine guns in hunting and imposing a tax of one cent a gallon on gasoline, effective April 1.

The senate yesterday passed a joint resolution seeking recovery for Vermont of a solid silver service given the battleship Vermont by the legislature in 1904. The battleship has now been condemned to the scrap heap and the service is understood to be in storage at San Francisco.

The house yesterday reconsidered its action Wednesday in killing a bill for a state income tax, passing the measure by a 20-vote margin. A tax of 8 per cent. on intangibles and of two per cent. on other income is provided.

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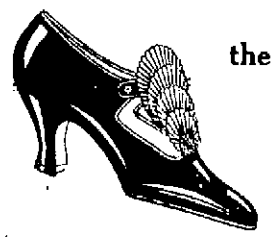

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The battalion headquarters of the 102d Field Artillery held a drill last night at the Armory under command of Lieut. Ariston K. Harrows. The men are training now so that they will be prepared for the work before them at their summer training camp. Word has been received that the camp will be at West Barnstable this year as it has been in the past two years. Recruits are needed for the headquarter detachment to bring it up to war strength, as this is necessary before going to camp, and men with technical training are needed. The opportunity open for enlistment now is timely, as the detachment will soon be making final preparation for their departure to camp.

FELL FROM LADDER

Martin Kirrane of 32 Crosby street, employed by the Scully Awning Co., fell from a ladder while working on the awning of the Gagnon Co. late yesterday afternoon and sustained lacerations of the forehead and a couple of fractured ribs. The ambulance removed him to St. John's hospital, where it was stated that he was resting comfortably and that his condition was not considered serious.

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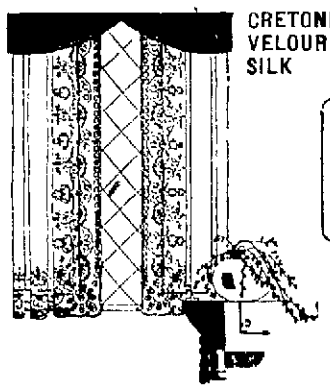

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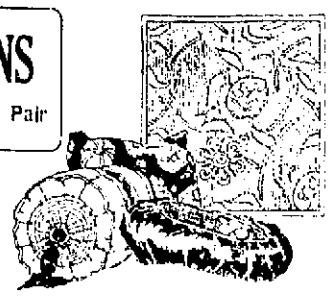

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DRACUT MAN HAS PLAN TO RELIEVE TRAFFIC CONGESTION IN THE HEART OF LOWELL

Lowell's street railway traffic system involving a maze of intersecting lines, obliques, short curves and numerous cross-overs in the square neighborhood, have formed a sizable problem for students of the game of transportation-handling for many years, even outside the realms of corporation confab parlors and executive roll-top groups.

More than one Lowell citizen, primed with only the best intentions in the world and anxious to be of service to the city and all its inhabitants, particularly including car commuters, has endeavored by hook or crook in many devious explanatory ways to solve the problem of the big square street railway car traffic-handling problems.

Some old-timers who have diligently figured, mapped out, interlined and criss-crossed quaint designs of traffic despatching on home reserve wrapping paper and what not, and then eagerly carried the self-conceited plans to certain city officials from the mayor down, and also local street railway executives, begging for consideration and formal approval, alive gone by the boards and given it up as a bad job.

You can't keep Charles Perham of Tyngsboro down, however. Mr. Perham, who owns and cultivates a valuable farm out on the far end of Varnum avenue, is greatly interested in Lowell, does his shopping here, attends farmers' Institute meetings here and generally takes a cordial and most sincere interest in Lowell and its inhabitants and doings.

The Tyngsboro farmer, when he isn't attending to farm duties, spends his leisure hours trying to solve traffic problems that are to be found in Lowell's busiest central point out in the big square and nearby street territories. For many moons this man has been considering the question with all its merits and demerits weighed carefully and carefully checked. Today he feels almost certain that he has the necessary poultices warranted to bring relief to a discouraged, hopeless set of male and female car commuters forced to board and leave cars in the square districts. And no surgeons will be needed if the Perham poultices are carefully and promptly applied.

A few days ago he appeared in the chief executive offices at city hall and inquired for Mayor John J. Donovan. Mr. Perham carried under one arm a good-sized roll of paper upon which he had carefully drawn the necessary lines to indicate the several busy highways located in the so-called "Merrimack square central zone area," and a few more lines showing the general lay-out of the local street railway tracks now used by the Eastern Massachusetts corporation lines regularly when it doesn't snow too hard.

The unrolling of the home-made blue prints before the eyes of Mayor Donovan and the private secretary club, was revealing in one important point—proof positive of extraordinary labor and detailed study and design backed by intense sincerity in order to make the newly arranged street railway junction lay-out chart with Perham revisions, both catchy to the eye and self-explanatory.

It was a linear arrangement of lines, curves and crossings that, when fully understood, indicated a brand new method of routeing electric cars through Merrimack square in arrivals and departures, the object being to relieve or eliminate altogether many annoying and time-wasting features of the present system of car routeing in and about the general square area and adjoining streets and professedly insuring more prompt movements of all cars through the central district with less crowding of passengers in rush hours, less turmoil and anxiety and, all told, a smoother system of operation when considered from the angles of commuters desiring better transit conditions through the crowded square zone.

The mayor's office carefully inspected the Perham car routeing plans and listened to his suggestions and the meeting, wholly informal in its kind, was then adjourned without day, the plans being left in the meantime with the mayor's office archives' guardians for future perusal and probable report. Mr. Perham waited about a week, decided that dust might collect on his pet traffic improvement plans, and yesterday walked to city hall and replevined his property.

Other resources in the municipal building were at his disposal for enlisting interest in the proposition, however, and as nothing definite was coming from the mayoralty office regarding approval or disapproval of the street car re-routeing layout, Mr. Perham withdrew his plans and drawings, climbed another flight of stairs and entered the office suite of City Engineer Stephen J. Kearney.

The city engineer received Mr. Perham very cordially, looked over the Perham plan of campaign that is being carried on without salary and no hope of ultimate reward and none desired, and declared that the novelty of the rearranged service lines was really new to him and that they would bear looking into further.

Mr. Perham would re-route all incoming cars coming over Central street from Tower's corner through Prescott street, making the swing through the square district on the outward bound track on Merrimack street and then turning again onto Central and coming down that street instead of going up the thoroughfare and making the square turn and down Prescott street, as is now the custom.

Mr. Perham says that cars can be moved faster through the square if the Gorham street, Billerica, Middlesex street, Chelmsford street, Westford street and North Chelmsford street railway cars are re-routed, when entering the city, through Prescott street and around the loop to the center of the square and back down Central street.

BILLERICA'S LIGHTING CONTRACT

The matter of lighting contract for the town of Billerica has again been deferred for action for another month. It will be remembered that the electric lighting contract between the town and the Lowell Electric Light corporation was thoroughly discussed at the annual meeting and owing to the fact that the company was asking an increase of $1.80 a light, the matter was referred to the board of selectmen. A conference between the town officials and Manager Hunnewell of the lighting company was held a couple of days ago and after a lengthy discussion, Mr. Hunnewell asked for further time and suggested another meeting with the town officials next month, which proved agreeable to all.

MORE ONE-MAN CARS

The public trustees of the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway company have placed an order for fifty new double truck cars of the one-man type at a cost of $580,000. Deliveries will be made in October and November and the cars will be distributed among several of the fifteen operating districts.

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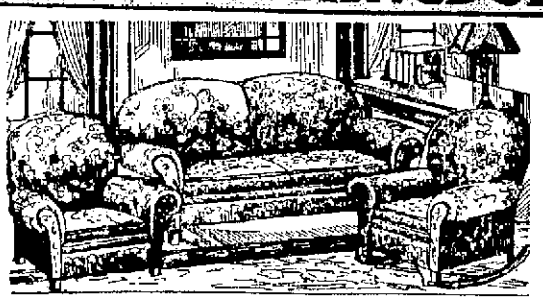

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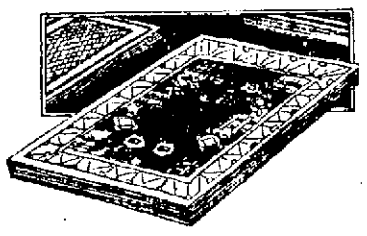

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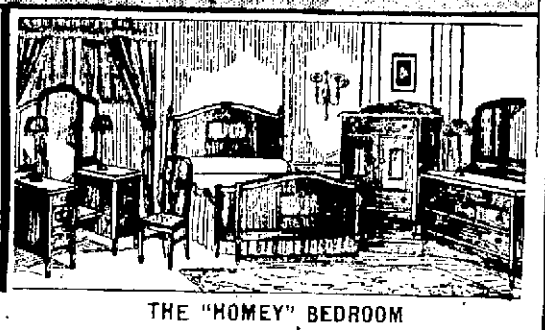

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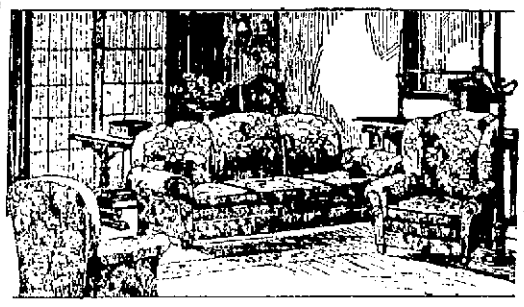

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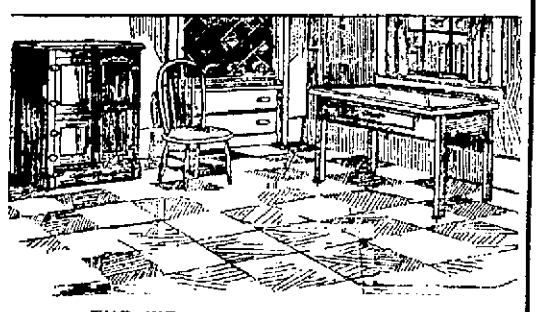

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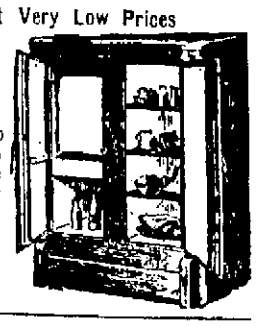

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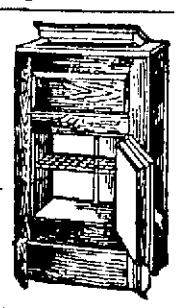

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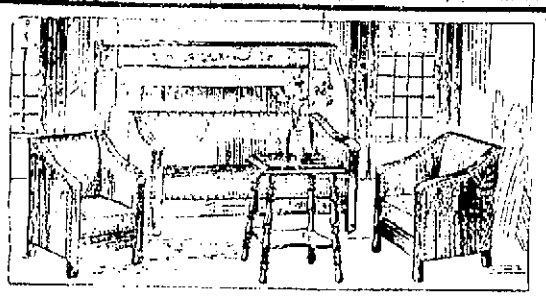

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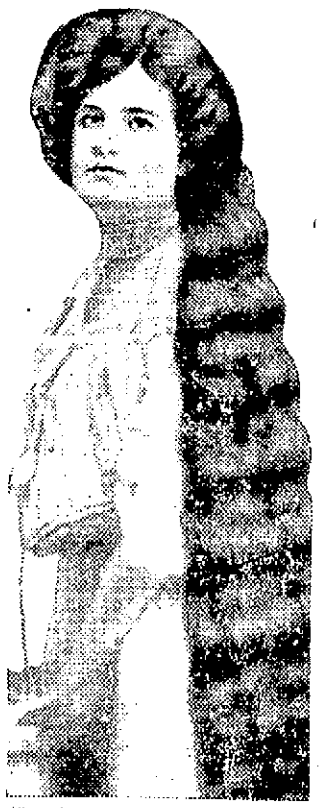

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Pierre Monteux and the great orchestra of 100 musicians will also present the wondrous "unfinished" symphony of Schubert, which no other music excels in lyrical beauty, Berlioz' "Roman carnival" overture, and Chabrier's rhapsody "Espana," based upon characteristic Spanish dance rhythms gleaned by the French composer in the dance halls of Spain and set for the utmost resources of a modern symphony orchestra. There will be three excerpts from the music dramas of Richard Wagner—one of which is particularly appropriate to the season—the "Good Friday Spell" from the third act of "Parsifal." The others will be the prelude to the third act of "Lohengrin" and the ride of the Valkyries from "the Valkyrie." The closing number will be Tchaikovsky's overture "1812," which depicts in striking and impressive fashion the victory of the Russian hosts over the invading army of Napoleon in that year.

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The encampment will open Tuesday evening, April 17, in historic Sanders theatre at Harvard university where the delegates and their friends will be given an entertainment by Leslie F. Hunting camp and Estella Hatch Weston auxiliary. Following the entertainment there will be a buffet lunch in memorial hall, after which the delegates will return to Sanders theatre for the campfire.

The formal opening of the encampment will come on Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock and will take place in the Elks' ballroom, Central square. Vice-President Calvin Coolidge, Congressman Dallinger, Governor Cox, Mayor Quinn and other dignitaries will be present and speak and will also attend the opening of the auxiliary which will be held at the same hour in the American legion headquarters, Central square. Sessions will continue up to 5 o'clock when Mayor Quinn and the city council will tender a reception and luncheon to the delegates at city hall lasting until 8 o'clock. At 9 o'clock the grand military ball will be held in the state armory on Massachusetts avenue terminating at midnight. At midnight the military order of the serpent will hold a grand crawl in the quarters of the American legion, Central square, with a band concert and mock initiation in the square.

On Thursday, April 18, there will be regular sessions of both organizations, continuing up to 2 o'clock when there will be adjournment for the military parade in which veterans of will take part. Prominent in this event will be members of the first company to volunteer for service in the civil war and members of the first companies to be called from Cambridge in the Spanish war. After the parade the convention will resume business and sit until final adjournment.

Cambridge citizens and officials are co-operating with the camp and auxiliary to make this event a success and ment, city hall, Cambridge, will provided for visiting delegates. The housing committee for the encampment, city hall, Cambridge, will provide all who apply with rooms. It is expected that over a thousand delegates will attend from the various camps and auxiliaries of the state.

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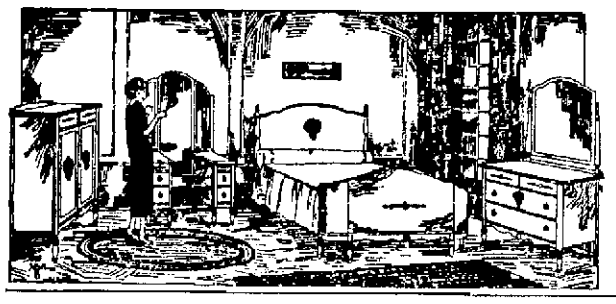

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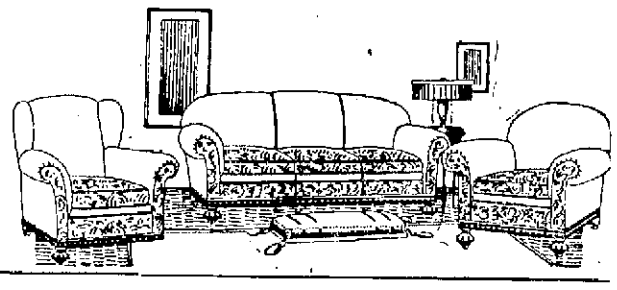

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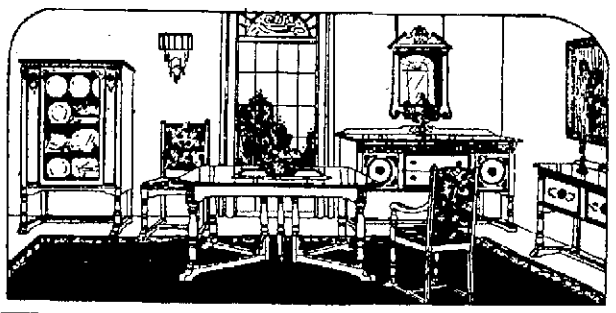

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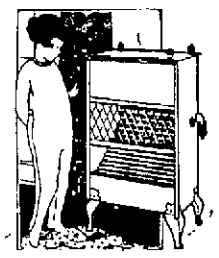

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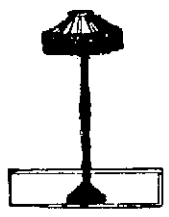

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Talbot Clothing Co.

CENTRAL CORNER WARREN STREET

BROADWAY BEAUTY MYSTERIOUSLY SLAIN

Clues which may lead to the arrest of a "society Raffles" are being followed by the police in an attempt to solve the mysterious death of beautiful Dorothy King, Broadway white light favorite. She is thought to have been slain by New York thieves who escaped with her jewels valued at $30,000.

DR. NANSEN WRITES VIEWS ON RUSSIA

LONDON, March 23—In the first of a series of articles in the Westminster Gazette, Dr. Fridtjof Nansen records the impressions he received in conversations with Russian leaders at Moscow during February.

He says that the question of most concern to the officials was Russia's reconstruction and the restoration of normal economic relations with other countries. The writer quotes Trotzky as reiterating Russia's desire for peace and as pointing out that she offered to cut her army to 200,000 men if other countries would make similar reduction, but that the proposal was not accepted.

Notwithstanding the possibility of an invasion of Russia by Poland and Rumania, the Russian army, Trotzky said, has been reduced to 600,000 men, which is less than half of the standing peace time army during the Czarist regime.

Dr. Nansen quotes Trotzky as asserting that Russia's aim is disarmament and the establishment of a militia similar to that of Switzerland.

"Complete disarmament," the soviet official said, "cannot be contemplated until Europe united in a federation of states which offers the sole means of withstanding America's economic hegemony. If a general demobilization can be effected, Russia will propose an international disarmament commission."

MILLION DOLLAR LIQUOR PLOT

Authorities Arrest New York Men in Connection With Huge Conspiracy

Plan to Bootleg Liquor Withdrawn From Warehouse on Forged Permits Frustrated

NEW YORK, March 23.—A million dollar conspiracy to bootleg liquor withdrawn from bond, upon permits bearing forgeries of the name of E. C. Yellowley, acting federal prohibition director for New York state, was reported by authorities to have been frustrated last night in the seizure of the Pershing warehouse corporation's bonded warehouse.

Ralph and Charles Sabbatino, brother-owners of the warehouse, were arrested by acting Prohibition Director John A. Murphy, turned over to the police and held without bail. Bonded liquor valued at $10,000,000 had been stored in the warehouse by the department of internal revenue and the withdrawals yesterday, 50 barrels in two trucks, were to be the first of a scheme to remove $1,000,000 worth, Murphy said.

The conspirators were thwarted and the plot uncovered, prohibition authorities explained, through the pretended connivance of John A. Murphy and Lester A. Reeves, assistant prohibition directors, each of whom accepted $10,000 in the office of Director Yellowley, for liquor permits on which the forgeries were made. The money was accepted with Yellowley's approval while he was out of the city, in an endeavor to trap the men "higher up," it was stated.

On the forged permits for the interrupted withdrawals were written the name of a prominent wholesale drug company, officials of which had no connection with the fraud and were unaware of the use of the firm's name, prohibition authorities said.

Additional permits were said to have been delivered to the conspirators near Borough Hall, Brooklyn, today for $20,000 for which they were to have been privileged to withdraw 100 barrels in the name of another drug company. Prohibition officials declared the conspirators often talked of withdrawing the entire $10,000,000 worth in the warehouse if the attempt proved successful.

The barrels contained whiskey six and seven years old, valued at $2000 a barrel, it was said.

The bonded liquor was owned partly by the Sabbatino brothers and the balance was the property of various companies and individuals.

The Sabbatino brothers, who were charged with conspiracy and bribery were alleged by Murphy to be the chief movers in the plot. They were arrested in a hotel in Manhattan where Murphy lives and where they had gone, he said, to find out why he had not protected them and prevented the seizure of the warehouse.

TISBO AND HIS WFIE ARE IMPRISONED

NAPLES, March 22 (By the Associated Press).—Francesco Tisbo, the New York steamship ticket agent and banker who is under indictment in that city on grand larceny charges, was imprisoned today. His wife was also denied her freedom. The police said they found a considerable quantity of jewels in the couple's baggage.

JURY TO DECIDE FOSTER'S CASE

ST. JOSEPH'S, Mich., March 23—(By the Associated Press)—William Z. Foster, charged with violating Michigan's criminal syndicalism law by assembling the national convention last August, must face a jury's decision.

Judge Charles White today overruled a motion by Frank P. Walsh, chief counsel for Foster, that the court direct the jury to return a verdict of acquittal.

Mr. Walsh submitted that no case had been proved against Foster. He also cited court decision in Michigan and Kansas cases to sustain his position, but Judge White held there was no similarity between the legal literature cited and the present trial.

The court also held that he could not pass on the constitutionality of the Michigan law against syndicalism, and that for the purpose of this trial he would declare it constitutional.

ADMIRAL FARRAGUT CAMP ANNIVERSARY

The seventh anniversary of the founding of Admiral Farragut camp, Sons of Veterans auxiliary, 47, was observed in Memorial hall last evening with a turkey supper and entertainment. There was a large attendance at the festivities and all spent a most enjoyable evening. Mrs. Lydia Bartlett acted as toastmaster during the post prandial exercises and under her direction a most enjoyable program was given. At the close of the event a brief business session was held and routine business was transacted. The success of the affair was due to the efforts of Mrs. Lydia Bartlett and Mrs. Sarah Sawyer.

TRY A SUN CLASSIFIED AD

Let's Take a Stroll up Merrimack Street

and do a little Easter Window Shopping.

See that brown Stein-Bloch suit in the corner?—it's $45, but never mind the cost—just try to duplicate the curve of that lapel at any price!

Or that blue grey at $40—that one-button hairline stripe at $40—or that tan with two pairs of trousers at $35—and leaving out Value altogether if you can find better styles or patterns—you're a better man than we are—Gun-ga-din!

As for Topcoats—They tell us we've the best showing in town. Anyway they're selling.

Our Easter Style supremacy is as plain as day—even under plate glass at night!

STEIN-BLOCH SUITS
$40, $45 and $50

TWO-TROUSER SUITS
$30, $35 and Higher

SPRING TOPCOATS
Box or Belted, $25 to $50

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Fresh from the faucet!
—the filtered styles in

Men's Spring Hats

Every season there are two kinds of Spring Hats offered—one of the sort made in a hurry—to buy in a hurry and wear with regret in leisure.

Ours—well—here's how we feel about it:

Instead of figuring "A Hat's a Hat" we look ahead—at where it is going—on your head—we side-step what is left and buy what is right—we never let the dust of a last season's product at a low price get into our buying eyes.

You can see the difference here today—

Society Club Soft Hats....$5.00
Stetson Soft Hats $7.00
Caps for the Country—and
Caps for the Car. $1.50, $2

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THE STORE FOR THRIFTY PEOPLE

With Easter Here, Can Spring Be Far Behind?

Such a delightful season is this that arrives with Easter-tide, when one enjoys sniffing at fresh budding things. The Easter services take on added meaning. It makes a general awakening. It's now one directs her attention to a new wardrobe—and all the bright blossoms of the mode are here. Whatever style, whatever color, whatever material, you have but to seek in this new collection.

PRE-EASTER SUITS

$24.75 and $29.50

Of Poiret Twill, braided, embroidered and strictly tailored. The most remarkable values we have offered this season. All suits carefully tailored. Colors—navy, black and tan.

Other groups of Suits marked at
$37.50, $42.50, $49.50

BEWITCHING CAPES

FOR EASTER WEAR

$18.75 $24.75 $29.50

In fine grade Velour, Brytonia, Twill and Lustre Bolivias, lined throughout. Colors—navy, black, beaver, kit fox, batwing and sorrento.

Smart Pre-Easter Styles in

WRAPS AND COATS

Regular and extra sizes.

Here we excel in showing the most varied and the smartest array of models. Styles suitable for all types. Stunning coats of Camelette and Camels' Hair, Tweeds and Overplaids. Wraps of luxurious pile fabrics, in all the newest colorings.

COATS priced from
$14.75 to $39.50

WRAPS priced from
$24.75 to $69.50

CAPES

Of Better Grade

Fashioned in Gerona, Arabella, Lustrosa, Mandalay and Fashona. In all the new Spring colorings, including black and navy. These lovely lustrous pile fabrics are specially adapted for the new Spring cape models. Dependable crepe linings lend an added charm.

$37.50, $42.50
$47.50 and $69.50

SPRING WRAPS AND COATS

For Girls 7 to 14 Years

Hundreds of coats and wraps ready for Easter wear. Capes are popular, too.

$3.95 $4.95 $7.49
$9.75 to $18.75

THESE EASTER DRESSES

ARE UNUSUAL

These wrap-around effects, fine box pleatings, soft drapes and long straight lines are charmingly expressed in Crepe de Chines, Canton Crepes, Flat Crepes and Satin-faced Cantons. In navy, black, tan and grey.

$21.75 to $59.50

CREPE DE CHINE AND TAFFETA DRESSES

For Junior Miss—13, 15, 17 years.

They are the prettiest styles, specially designed for young girls of this age. In navy, sorrento, cocoa, lanvin and ashes of roses.

$13.75 $16.75 $18.75

Second Floor

A. G. Pollard Co.

THE STORE FOR THRIFTY PEOPLE

Rain or shine, you'll find the Lowell Guild Nurses on the job. To continue, they need money. You can help by attending the Guild Ball, April 6. Tickets on sale here.

The Accessories for the Easter Costume

Should Be Chosen With Great Care

At last Fashion has made up her fickle mind as to what we shall wear—and here you have the result of months of planning and buying—hats—shoes—stockings—blouses and gloves—the little important things that really make the mode.

SILK UNDERWEAR Of Surpassing Charm and Color

An irresistibly lovely assortment has been assembled, beguilingly fashioned of silk, certain to send a thrill of delight through the feminine heart. New styles and novel decorative touches.

Women's Jersey Silk Vests, bodice top, white, orchid and flesh, $1.50 and $2.00

Women's Glove Silk Vests, plain and fancy striped silk bodice top, white and flesh $2.50

Women's Extra Heavy Silk Vests, flesh and white $4.25

Women's Silk Knickers, flesh and white, fancy stripe silk.. $3.25

Women's Silk Step-ins, white and flesh $3.25

Street Floor

The Easter Blouse

Oriental Colored Jacquette

Of heavy silk crepe, with silk bow sash. Especially smart with a new spring suit.

$4.95 to $10.45

Since suits are making a definite entry into spring, blouses, both costume and tailored, play an important part in completing them. Here you will find them all, whether silk or cotton.

French Voile Blouses

With attractive double frills, which has yards of Irish lace trimming, in the popular rose patterns and rows of hand drawn work.

$4.95 to $9.95

Hand Made French Voile Blouses

Feature color, round necks, with rows of Irish lace and hand drawn block work, pretty square necks in solid colors of Harding and Flame.

$3.95 to $6.75

The College Girl or Business Woman

especially prefer a **Self Striped Dimity Blouse.** Linen Blouses edged with color, also Madras tailored blouses.

$1.95 to $3.95

SECOND FLOOR

Of Course! NEW HOSIERY for Easter

When you're all dressed up, you require the loveliness of gleaming silk hose, whether they be plain, fancy woven or with graceful clocks. And here you will find them in black, white and colors. And priced so modestly too.

Women's Silk Hosiery, fashioned back, heavy at ankle, black, white, brown, navy, mist, grey and silver; worth $1.65 pair, $1.50

Women's Silk Hosiery, irregulars, silk clocked, full fashion, black, brown, grey and white; worth $2.00 pair $1.50

Women's Full Fashioned Silk Hose, heavy weight, in black, silver, Otter grey, mist and brown, pair $2.00

Women's Silk Hose, lisle knee and sole, with Pointex heel, $2.25 and $3.00 Pair

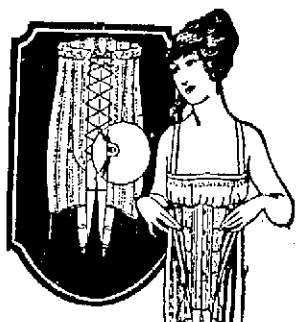
Women's Heavy Black Silk Hose, all silk, or with lisle knee and sole, black, brown and grey..... $2.50, $2.75 and $3 Pair

Women's Silk Hose, with open clocks, black, brown and navy, $3.00, $4.50 and $4.75 Pair

Women's Silk Hose, with embroidered clocks, black, grey and navy ..... $4.00 Pair

Women's Outsize Silk Hose, black, brown and white, $1.75, $2.50 and $2.75 Pair

Street Floor



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The last word in the new corsetry. Lends youth and grace through flexibility and great naturalness of fit and line. In a complete range of models and materials.

$5 Up

IT'S ABOUT TIME YOU WERE THINKING ABOUT

Easter Gloves

And smartness goes hand in hand with these new gloves.

In the selection of the little, important things that make up the Easter Costume, gloves must be chosen with care. There are so many attractive ones.

Women's 2-Clasp Kid Gloves, black, white, tan and gray, self stitched and contrasting embroidered backs..$2.25 to $5 Pair

Women's Strap Wrist Washable Cape Skin Gloves, light weight embroidered and speak back, in tan, brown and pretty shades, $3.75 to $4.50 Pair

Women's Capeskin Gauntlet Gloves, in the new spring shades of silver, grey and putty .....$5.25 to $6.00 Pair

Women's Fabric Gauntlet Gloves, plain and fancy cuffs, in suede, beige, oak and pastel .....$1.15 to $2.25 Pair

Children's One-clasp Cape Skin Gloves, brown and putty, $1.95 Pair

Children's Fabric Gloves, suede and brown .....69c Pair

Street Floor

FOOD SALE TODAY
Centralville Lodge, 137, Rebekahs

Light Weight "Wools"

That lend themselves so easily to the drapings demanded by today's fashions. New Spring Dress Goods here in an exceptional variety. Splendid values.

All Wool Jersey—Some ten colors to choose from, a popular fabric for blouses and dresses, 54 inches wide, Yard **$2.00**

All Wool Canton Crepe—A firmly woven fabric, suitable for dresses, 54 inches wide; here in the new shades, Yard.....**$2.50**

All Wool Tricotine and Poiret Twill—Very fine materials for either suits or dresses and quite popular, too, 54 inches wide, navy, brown and black.... **$3.00 and $3.50 Yard**

PALMER STREET STORE

The Home Should Have "New Things" for Easter, Too!

THESE FROM THE LINEN SECTION WOULD HELP BRIGHTEN UP A BIT

Mercerized Napkins, size 22x22, hemmed ready for use, made of fine damask that will not lint....**19¢ Each, $2.10 Dozen**

Table Cloth and Napkin Sets, consisting of one hemstitched pattern cloth, size 56x72, and six 18x18 napkins to match, **$5.69 Set**

Turkish Towels, size 44-22, made of heavy double and twisted yarn that is very absorbent and will wear well, **45¢ Each, 6 for $2.50**

Linen Toweling, bleached, all linen, 16 inches wide, fast colored red or blue stripe borders.... **22¢, 10 Yards for $2.00**

Linen Scarfs, 18x48, made of good quality oyster linen, hemstitched all around, with mitred corners.....**85¢ Each**

Embroidered Pillow Cases, one lot of 300, made of good cotton and excellent workmanship. Three new designs, three-inch hemstitch.....**45¢ Each, 6 for $2.50**

PALMER STREET STORE

FROM THE SHOE SECTION—Basement For Today and Saturday—Special Prices

Low Shoe Strap and Lace Oxfords, several styles, C and D widths, all Goodyear welts; regular prices $4.00 and $5.00. Friday and Saturday **$2.98**

Misses' and Children's High Cut Tan Polish Shoes, with rubber heels, wide toe, easy fitting, all sizes 8½ to 11 and 11½ to 2; regular price $2.00. Friday and Saturday.....**$1.75**

Boys' Gun Metal and Tan Shoes, English style, all Goodyear welts, not all sizes, but a good assortment of sizes 1 to 5½; regular price $4.00. Friday and Saturday.....**$2.25**

Men's Goodyear Welt Shoes, of gun metal, with heavy soles, wide fitting style, all sizes 7 to 11. Friday and Saturday, **$2.98**

Men's Tan Bal., English style, very popular this spring, all sizes 6 to 9, C and D widths. Friday and Saturday.....**$2.98**

Misses' Rubbers, sizes 11 to 2. Friday and Saturday.....**59¢**

Children's Rubbers, sizes 4 to 10½. Friday and Saturday, **49¢**

Protect Your Garments from Moths and Dust! Keep Them in a

Freid Garment Container

A Household Necessity

A new invention that appeals to the public because of its usefulness.

Made of fine quality brocaded material.

Moth-ball containers top and bottom, with opening at end to remove or replace moth balls.

Fashionable men and women throughout the land are using the **Freid Garment Container.**

Elegance, strength and long-wearing qualities are features of the **Freid Garment Container.**

Will last a lifetime. Holds several garments.

The **Freid Garment Container** can be had either with moth balls, cedar aroma, sachet or odorless.

Size 24 inches wide, 62 inches long.

Special lengths made to order.

$2.00 TO $3.50

Art Goods Section—Street Floor

EASTER HATS

Hats that so cunningly reflect the youthful charms and gaiety of Eastertide. The splendor and variety of these Hats hold a pleasant surprise for you. Featuring Milans, Hair and Silk Combinations, with Flower, Ribbon and Embroidered effects.

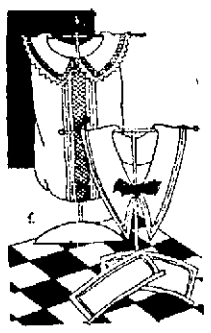
$7.50 UPWARD

Also SPORT HATS at..... $2.98 to $4.98

Palmer Street Store

The Easiest Way to Freshen a Frock is With

New Neckwear



For the freshening springlike touch to a costume, try a bit of crisp new neckwear. It makes a frock newer, more feminine looking. Here you will find neckwear in such profusion as to enable you to choose for every frock without spending much money.

Bertha Collars of net with exquisite Venise lace edging, in cream and white $1.00

Venise Lace Bertha Collars..... $1 to $4.95

Venise Lace, Bramleigh Collar and Cuff Sets $1 and $1.50

Venise Lace Roll Collars.....50c to $2.95

Venise Lace Roll Collar and Cuff Sets, 50c to $2.95

Hand Embroidered Net Panel Collars, with exquisite Venise lace edges $1.50 to $4.95

Venise Lace Panel Collars.....$1.50 to $2.50

Real Irish Lace Roll Collars.....$2.00, $2.50

Real Filet Roll Collars .....$1.50 to $3.00

Eyelet Bramleigh Collar and Cuff Sets, 25c, 50c and $1.00

Embroidered Linen Bramleigh Collars and Cuff Sets .....50c, $1.00 and $1.50

Organdie Round Collars with Venise lace edges 50c

Colored Embroidered Organdie Collars, 50c and $1.00

Organdie Collar and Cuff Sets, 50c, $1.00 and $1.50

Organdie Vestees With Cuffs $1.00

Linen Vestees, with round collar and cuffs, $1.00

Linen Vestees with cuffs and round collar, real filet and Irish lace medallions..$1.50

Triangular Shaped Bandana Kerchiefs, made in assorted patterns of silk, $1.00, $1.50 and $2.00

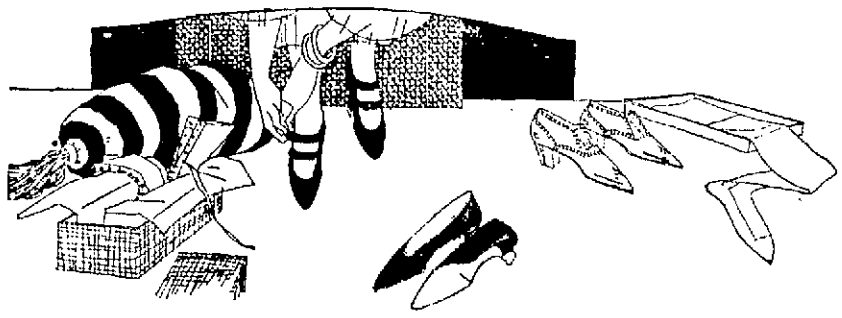
Bandana Kerchiefs, made in assorted patterns of silk, square shape $2.50, $3.50

Paisley Silk Bramleigh Collar and Cuff Sets, $1.00

Paisley Bramleigh Ties assorted colors 50c

Bandana Hand Painted Kerchiefs, in triangular and square shape....$2.00 and $2.95

Street Floor



Putting One's Best Foot Forward

To be well shod is supposed to be a highly important item, and there is really no reason for being otherwise, when such charming examples of footwear are to be had. All the new ideas are included in this collection, stepping in to the forefront of fashion by their smartness and comfort, and prices are lower, too, than formerly.

Pumps—Grey suede, with grey kid trimmings, one-strap style, low rubber heels, **$7.50 Pair**

Oxfords and Pumps Brown suede with brown kid trimmings. Cuban and low heels, **$7.50 Pair**

Oxfords—Grey suede, Cuban and medium heels..... **$6.50 and $7.00 Pair.**

Sport Oxfords—Tan, calf leather, with crepe soles ..... **$6.50 Pair**

Oxfords (Red Cross Brand) tan and black, vici kid, Cuban heels, **$7 and $7.50 Pr.**

Pumps—(Red Cross Brand) of vici kid and patent leather, Cuban rubber heels, **$7.50 Pair**

Street Floor

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

PETITION FOR HEARING

A meeting of the citizens of upper Lawrence street was held Thursday evening relative to certain improvements needed in the district. After a very animated discussion it was decided to adjourn until Sunday, March 25, at 2 p. m. Mayor Donovan, Councillors McFadden, Daly and others will be invited to attend the meeting. A petition is being circulated through the district praying that a hearing be granted by the city council.

HEALING CREAM IS A QUICK RELIEF FOR NASTY HEAD COLDS

Colds and catarrh yield like magic to soothing, healing antiseptic cream that penetrates through every air passage and relieves swollen, inflamed membranes of nose and throat. Your clogged nostrils ope wright up and you can breathe freely. Hawking and snuffling stop. Don't stay stuffed up and miserable.

Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist. Apply a little in the nostrils and get instant relief. Millions endorse this remedy known for more than 60 years.—Adv.

OLDEST MASON IS DEAD

Washington Bissel, 102, Was Also Oldest College Graduate and Retired Lawyer

PITTSFIELD, March 23.—Washington Bissell, aged 102, oldest Mason, oldest college graduate and oldest retired lawyer in the United States, died at Great Barrington, today. He would have been 103 years old April 16. He was graduated from Union college, Schenectady, N. Y., in the class of 1846 and practiced law in New York state and Connecticut. Mr. Bissell recently said that he had smoked since he was 12 years old, and figured it helped to prolong his life. He used liquor moderately.

MAN MISSING 14 DAYS RETURNS

BROCKTON, March 23.—Richard E. Upjohn, 40, of the Franklin Last Co., whose unexplained absence from the city for 14 days brought about suspension of work for 15 employes at the last shop, pending inquiry into the financial situation of the business, has returned to his home. He is under the care of the family doctor, Mrs. Upjohn says. He is ill and unable to talk coherently or tell of his whereabouts since he left home. Work has been resumed at the factory.

APPLY SULPHUR TO HEAL UP YOUR SKIN

Broken Out Skin and Itching Eczema Helped Over Night

For unsightly skin eruptions, rash or blotches on face, neck, arms or body, you do not have to wait for relief from torture or embarrassment, declares a noted skin specialist. Apply a little Mentho-Sulphur and improvement shows next day.

Because of its germ destroying properties, nothing has ever been found to take the place of this sulphur preparation. The moment you apply it healing begins. Only those who have had unsightly skin troubles can know the delight this Mentho-Sulphur brings. Even fiery, itching eczema is dried right up.

Get a small jar from any good druggist and use it like cold cream.—Adv.

GOES ON SLUMMING TRIP

Miss Harding, President's Sister, Enjoys Cabarets in Lower East Side, New York

NEW YORK, March 23.—Miss Abigail V. Harding, President Harding's sister, who, with her sister, Mrs. Carolyn Harding Votaw, recently returned from a tour of South America, went on a slumming trip early today with a party of friends through the white light theatrical district, picturesque Greenwich Village and the edge of the bustling lower East Side.

Chaperoned by men who said they were government agents, they visited several cabarets, and enjoyed the entertainment. At a Kenmare street basement inn, a special program was hastily arranged. Miss Harding enthusiastically applauded the singing of "The Rose of Picardy."

Four city detectives joined the party at this place as an additional guard.

ENTERTAINMENT AT GREENHALGE SCHOOL

Wednesday, April 11, has been selected for the entertainment of the Greenhalge school Parent-Teacher association. The event, for the purpose of the association fund, has a program of well known local entertainers. A delightful evening is being arranged by the program committee under Miss Catherine Gillick. Tickets will be out soon. A refreshment sale is planned for the same evening.

The following entertainers are on schedule: Madelene Higgins, Grace Healy, Arline Redmund, Madelene Finnegan, Dorothy Sheeley, Kathleen Jennings, Bernadette Flinnegan, Margaret Mahoney, Mr. and Mrs. Delmore, the Barrett sisters, Raymond Kelley, Elenor Pitts, Doris Master, Mr. O'Reilly, Grace Morin.

TO BAR CERTAIN TEXTBOOKS

MADISON, Wis., March 23—Governor Blaine today had before him a bill passed by the legislature baring from public schools textbooks which falsify the facts or defame characters of the American War of the Revolution and the war of 1812.

A MUTUAL AGREEMENT

Follows Three Days of Discussion by Allied Experts on Near East

LONDON, March 23. (By the Associated Press.)—Three days of discussion by the allied experts on the near east have led to a mutual agreement on most of the disputed points raised by the Turkish counter-proposals to the Lausanne peace treaty draft.

It was learned today from quarters close to the representatives of Great Britain, France and Italy that the political and juridical sub-committee had reached a complete agreement on most of the matters discussed.

The members of the sub-committee which, is considering the territorial phases of the treaty have, it is stated, agreed to support Italy's plea for the Island of Castelorizza which the Turks proposed should be returned to them. The financial commission expected to be able to complete its labors before today was over.

All the experts are unanimous in the view that the Angora government's demand for incorporation in the treaty of the financial and economic clauses cannot be granted. M. Bompard, on behalf of France, reiterated the determination to have these clauses disjoined from the treaty because their inclusion might conflict with France's existing economic agreement with the Turks.

FITCHBURG BOYS ON LITTLE OUTING

In making his rounds in the vicinity of the local Boston and Maine depot late last night, Officer Paul Spillane noticed two small boys asleep on a bench in the interior of the station. He had them taken to the police station where they gave their names as Tanno Coski and George Alin, both of Fitchburg, who stated that they had come to Lowell via truck. The Fitchburg police were notified and the boys returned to their parents this morning.

SEND TRUCE PROPOSALS

Two Friendly Navajos Peace Delegates From Warring Piute Indians

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, March 23.—Two friendly Navajos early today brought the first truce proposals to Blanding from the warring Piute Indians beleaguered the past 48 hours in the fastness of the Dark Tank country by a ring of armed ranchers.

Charley's Boy and two other spokesmen of the Piutes sent the message. They would surrender, so the Navajos said, if guarantees were given for the lives of the renegades, who have terrorized southeastern Utah since the first of the week.

United States Marshal J. Ray Ward, who arrived at Blanding late yesterday, met the Navajos and will send his answer today.

BOSTON W. S. QUINBY COMPANY CHICAGO

La Touraine Coffee

You might as well have the best—

45¢ lb.

"It's the Bean"

Boston Wholesale Millinery Co.

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Ladies of Lowell: Buy Your Easter Hats at the Boston Wholesale Millinery Co.

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FULL LINE OF TRIMMED HATS, UNTRIMMED HATS FLOWERS, FANCIES, MATERIALS AND FRAMES

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All the Newest Novelties in Women's Footwear. See them in the window.

Black and Brown Kid, One Strap Two Button Pumps.

Black and Brown Calf and Kid Oxfords, Military and Cuban Heel.

Patent Leather, Gray Suede One Strap Pumps, Baby Louis' Heel.

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NEW MOVE IN ATTEMPT TO SAVE PAPPAS

BOSTON, March 23—A petition for a writ of error in the case of Paul Pappas, sentenced to death for the murder of Alice Arsenault, was filed in the supreme court today. A hearing was arranged for this afternoon.

In the superior court yesterday a motion for a stay of execution was denied. The electrocution of Pappas was set for tonight.

Pappas was convicted of the killing of Mrs. Alice Arsenault, a South End lodging housekeeper on Christmas day, 1919. Mrs. Clara D. Ditson, who formerly lived in Worcester, a witness introduced by counsel for Pappas Wednesday, testified that she was alive the following day.

NURSES ARE SCARCE, HOSPITAL ADVERTISES

LAWRENCE, March 23.—Owing to the scarcity of nurses at the Lawrence city hospital, the officials there were forced yesterday to resort to advertising to obtain the requisite quota to conduct their work properly. At present there are 10 nurses at the hospital, and at least five more are required.

TELEPHONE ALARM

A slight blaze in the partition at the top of the cellar stairs at 15 Columbus avenue was responsible for a telephone alarm at 3.37 o'clock this morning. The blaze was extinguished before any serious damage was done.

GOV. BAXTER MOVES FOR REFERENDUM

AUGUSTA, Me., March 23.—Governor Percival P. Baxter today in a proclamation announced that he would ask the citizens to sign petitions for a referendum on the act to incorporate the Kennebec Reservoir company which proposes to develop a water storage system on the Kennebec river. The act was passed by both branches of the legislature over the governor's veto.

WOMEN'S BRANCH OF KU KLUX KLAN

Mamelia, a women's order, has been organized and is ready to function "alongside of the Knights of the Ku Klux Klan," according to a statement by William J. Simmons, former imperial wizard and principal organizer of the klan, who has appointed himself cimagus, or president, of the women's organization.

At the headquarters of the Ku Klux Klan, officials said they had no knowledge of Simmons' activities.

HUANG FU RESIGNS

PEKING, March 23.—(By the Associated Press) Huang Fu has submitted his resignation from the portfolio of foreign minister, because it is said, of the criticism to which the government has been subjected for its failure to procure abrogation of the treaty of 1915, with Japan.

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It's better to steer a middle course. So, let us make or sell you **our clothes**—not for some special occasion alone—but for all seasons; a Suit or Topcoat that will give you months of service and satisfaction, at a price which leaves enough money in your pocket to **pay you for the** trouble of coming to our store to **look.** That's why we say: **It Will Pay You to Look!**

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These words identify what we believe to be the finest popular-priced custom-clothes produced. Clothing that is honest down to the last thread of virgin-wool, that has the style, set and hand that all men want—yet often fail to get.

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DROPS DEAD ON LINKS

Milo D. Campbell Had Recently Been Appointed to Reserve Board

WASHINGTON, March 23.—After taking a long drive in the second round of a game of golf at the Columbia Country club here, Milo D. Campbell, recently appointed farmer member of the federal reserve board, dropped dead yesterday. He had just finished playing 18 holes, as the guest of Senator Townsend of Michigan. Death was due to cerebral hemorrhage, believed to have been caused by overexertion and excitement. Mr. Campbell had seemed in exceptionally good health.

President Harding appointed him to the federal reserve board several weeks ago in response to the demand of the farm bloc for representations on that body. His death renews a vacancy that was filled only after a long controversy.

Mr. Campbell, who was a resident of Coldwater, Mich., was 71 years old and had been in public life for 36 years. From 1885 to 1887 he was a member of the Michigan state legislature, resigning to become secretary to Gov. Luce from 1887 to 1891. He then served as mayor of Coldwater for two years, at the same time holding office in the Michigan railroad and crossing board.

In 1895 he became state commissioner of insurance and later a member of the Michigan prison board. He was then made United States marshal for the eastern district of Michigan.

In 1920 he was defeated by Alex J. Groesbeck for the governorship. He then became president of the National Milk Producers' association and spent most of his time in Washington.

He was a practical farmer all his life, personally managing two farms on the outskirts of Coldwater, which are known, country-wide as models of efficiency.

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Just go to your neighborhood drug store, obtain the "Discovery" in tablets or liquid and see you quickly you will build up. You feel to the tonic effect immediately. Send 10c to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., for trial pkg.—Adv.

WOMAN IS BANDIT OF FUTURE!

By ROY GIBBONS
N. E. A. Staff Correspondent

CHICAGO, March 20—Woman will be the bandit of the future.

Instead of the movie type of desperado with sweater and unshaven face, a chic young miss, faultlessly tailored, will shove her pearl-handled automatic under your nose and relieve you of your roll.

All this is coming if we continue to divert woman's normal maternal instinct into the wrong channels, warns Miss Elizabeth Carter, eminent psychologist here.

Drawing on actual cases to illustrate, Miss Carter points to Julia

JULIA HARTNETT (ABOVE) AND ELIZABETH ("HONEY") SULLIVAN (BELOW).

Hartnett and Elizabeth ("Honey") Sullivan, two girls recently arrested here for complicity in the operations of a new type of criminal organization—the shiek band.

Miss Sullivan's reign as queen of a dapper-dressed band of youths whom she spurred on with her six-shooter, has gained her an indeterminate 10-year prison term which she is now serving.

The Hartnett girl is under indictment on a charge of receiving stolen property.

Good at Heart

"The inference to be gathered," Miss Carter says, "is that both the Sullivan and Hartnett girls approached a point on the road which made them want to turn back.

"This is revealed by their turning state's evidence in each instance. It proves they were not innately bad, but made so by circumstances.

"Both were suffering from unsatisfied social desires. Each wanted a beau.

"The Sullivan girl, when arrested, told of being inducted into the gang by her own sweetheart, its leader.

"The Hartnett girl was also ensnared by improper analysis of her feelings for a certain member of her gang. She thought she loved him.

"There you have two expressions of the maternal instinct over-exaggerated leading to misinterpretation, a life of crime and social ruin.

Need Watching

"It is girls like these who must be carefully watched during adolescense.

"Over-stimulation of the sex interest during the plastic stage of youth later directs the natural good which should flow from that source into channels capable of doing untold harm.

"It has a tendency to misdirect maternal instinct. The cure lies solely in prevention with responsibility placed entirely on the parent.

"Most girls, however, who find themselves slipping into erotic lives are righted before the time is too late.

"Natural tendency of the impulse, probably instilled by the Creator for moral safety of the race, is to go along decent paths. That's why there are so few confirmed bad women."

BULGARIA TO PAY $106,160,000

PARIS, March 23—(By the Associated Press) The total reparations owed by Bulgaria to the allies have been fixed at 550,000,000 gold francs ($106,160,000), payable over a period of 60 years.

It is proposed, according to a spokesman for the Bulgarian Embassy, that the first payment this year consist of 5,000,000 gold francs ($965,000), with the schedule for the other 59 years to be determined on a sliding scale, governed by Bulgaria's capacity to pay.

The settlement is yet to be ratified by the Reparations Commission and accepted by the various governments to whom the payments will be made, but this is only a matter of form. The reparations will go to Great Britain, France, Italy, Greece and Rumania, but the relative distribution among them thus far has not been made known.

The Bulgarian customs, which now average 40,000,000 gold francs ($7,720,000) annually, will be held as guarantee for payment.

It was only after a bitter fight that the Bulgars agreed to the settlement, but they now feel that the country's commerce is about to be freed from the conditions of uncertainty, against which it has been struggling.

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SLICED BACON, lb. ..... 27¢

ROAST BEEF
RIB ROAST, no bone, lb. ..... 18¢
SIRLOIN ROAST, no bone, lb. ..... 27¢
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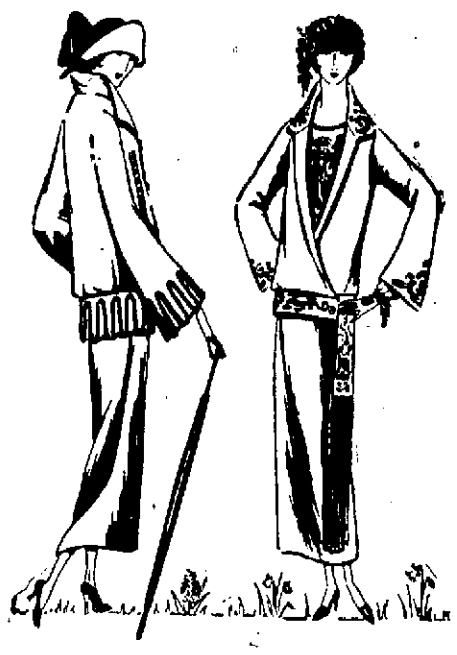

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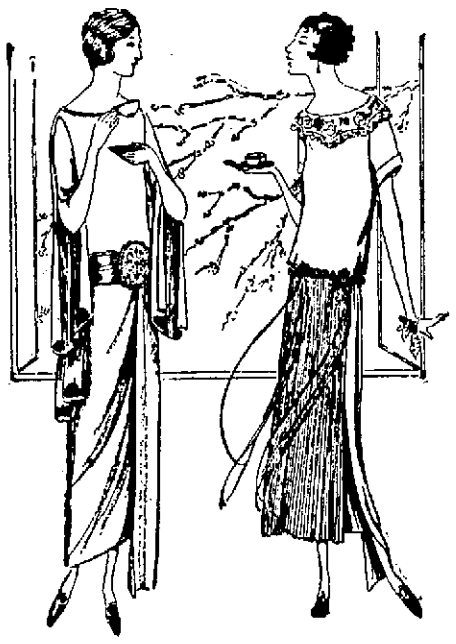

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HEARS ARGUMENTS ON H. V. GREENE DEMURRER

BOSTON, March 23—Whether Theresa I. Spear and other subscribers to stock in the H. V. Greene company can maintain their $14,000,000 suit against H. V. Greene, the H. V. Greene company, Mutual Finance Corporation, Commercial Finance Corporation, the First People's Trust and a number of directors and officers of the companies will be determined by the full bench of the supreme court on demurrers filed by the defendants to the bill. Arguments were made yesterday by counsel.

The plaintiffs allege fraud and conspiracy to defraud the subscribers to stock. They ask to have their subscriptions annulled and a return made of the money paid in on the instalment plan. If the court sustains the demurred the action is ended; if it overrules the demurrer the case will go to trial.

The grounds of the demurred are allegations that there is a misjoinder of parties; that the bill is multifarious and that it does not set forth a case entitling the plaintiffs to relief in equity.

A decree of the superior court overruling a demurrer of David H. Brand in a suit brought against him by the Tremont Trust company has been sustained by the full bench. The trust company may maintain its bill to reach and apply stock of a corporation pledged as collateral by Brand to secure a note for $3303.40 given by Brand.

Brand contended that the note was given without consideration, but Judge Pierce who wrote the opinion of the full court says that the pre-existing notes of Brand were a sufficient consideration for the latter one.

The court declared that the promise of Vice Pres. Simon Swig to procure an interview with the United States district attorney, and to introduce and vouch for the counsel for the defendant as a man of good standing at the bar, which was in fact performed, could have been relied upon as introducing a new element of consideration.

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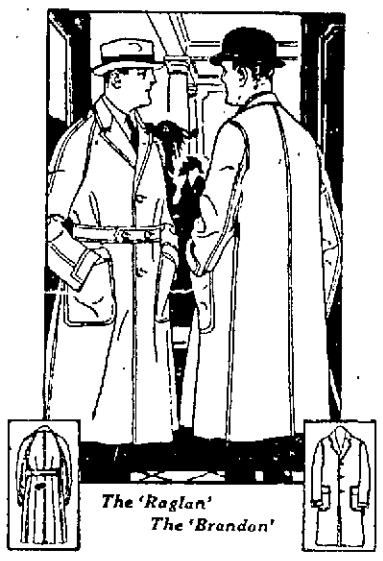
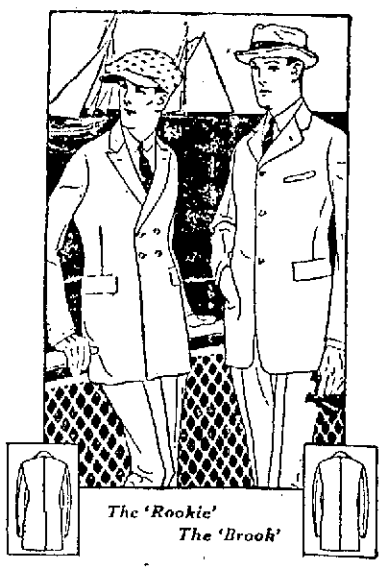


The 'Raglan' The 'Brandon'



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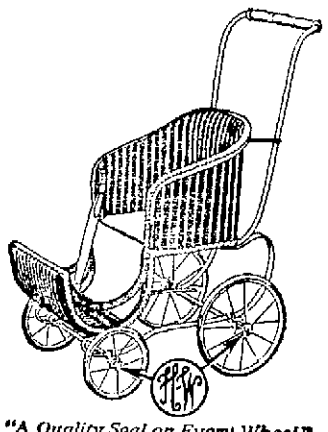

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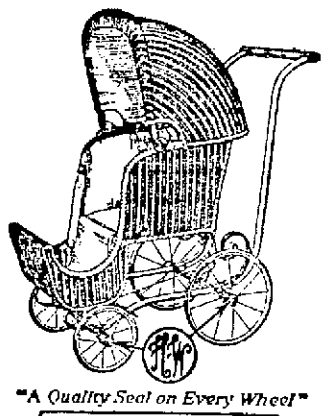

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OLD BATTLESHIP IS DEMOLISHED

ABOARD U.S.S. MARYLAND, Panama Bay, March 23.—(By radio to the Associated Press) Amid strains of the Star-Spangled Banner and the firing of national salutes, the old battleship Iowa sank here late yesterday. After a shelling by the super-dreadnought Mississippi's 14-inch rifles, the battered hulk turned slowly over on its side and slid beneath the waves.

Secretary Denby, members of the congressional party, naval officers and observing ships' companies stood at attention in silent tribute to the once gallant ship that won fame in the destruction of Cervera's fleet at Santiago.

With this dramatic climax the winter maneuvers of the United States fleet needed. For part of two days the Iowa withstood the battering from the Mississippi, which was using thin-walled shells, but her end came within 17 minutes after the super-dreadnought opened up with service shells from a range of approximately nine miles.

Nine five-gun salvos were fired. The first went wide, but the second carried the Iowa's death blow, one shell hitting at the waterline, smashing through the thick armor and exploding inside. At least five other direct hits were scored, hastening the end.

TUBERCULOSIS TAKES HEAVY TOLL IN JAPAN

YOKOHAMA, March 23.—Alarmed at the steady increase of tuberculosis in this country in recent years, authorities of the sanitary bureau in the home office are distributing a pamphlet pointing out that some 120,000 new cases of tuberculosis are reported each year throughout the country, and the deathrate in the country from this cause is one case every five minutes.

"THE ETERNAL LIGHT"

"The Eternal Light," a magnificent sacred drama dealing with the life of Christ, which has been produced by the Societa Italiana Cines of Italy, will be shown on the screen at the Memorial Auditorium next Sunday evening. The affair will be given under the auspices of St. Louis' parish and the performance will begin promptly at 8 o'clock. This play is characteristic of the Italian genius and ranks supreme in the realm of photodom. It is sure to satisfy the exigencies of the cultured and refined class. Apart altogether from its religious aspect, "The Eternal Light" is one of the greatest pictures of the age, rescuing from oblivion forgotten facts and recreating life at and before the Christian era, as has never been done before.

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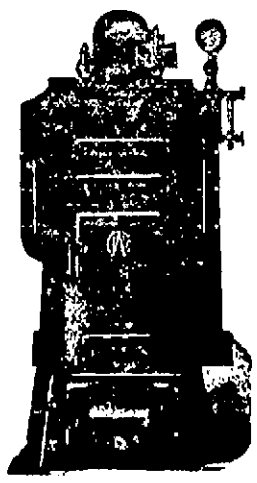

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PRIESTS DEFENDED HOST

Sharp Resistance When Soviet Authorities Came to Seize Sacred Vessels

MOSCOW, March 23.—(By Associated Press) The testimony at yesterday's session of the trial of Archbishop Zepliak of Petrograd, head of the Roman Catholic church in Russia, and 16 priests showed that the Soviet officials encountered sharp resistance when they attempted to requisition the valuables in the Catholic churches of the former capital.

The churchmen are charged with opposing the decree separating the church and state, resisting the sequestration of church treasures and engaging in agitation for the closing of the churches, which, it is declared, would inconvenience the Soviet government with the Vatican and impair the terms of the treaty with Poland.

The Russian agents in their work of requisitioning valuables found the sturdy, clean-shaven young Catholic priests far different from the bearded clergy of the Russian Orthodox church, most of whom even assisted in the requisition, the testimony indicated.

The young priest Elsmond, at the Church of St. Casimir, Petrograd, halted the requisitioners when they sought to examine the host, declaring that they could pass only over his dead body. Kodkowich, the priest of St. Catherine's, Petrograd, refused to reveal the hiding places of the church treasures and called upon the congregation to defend them.

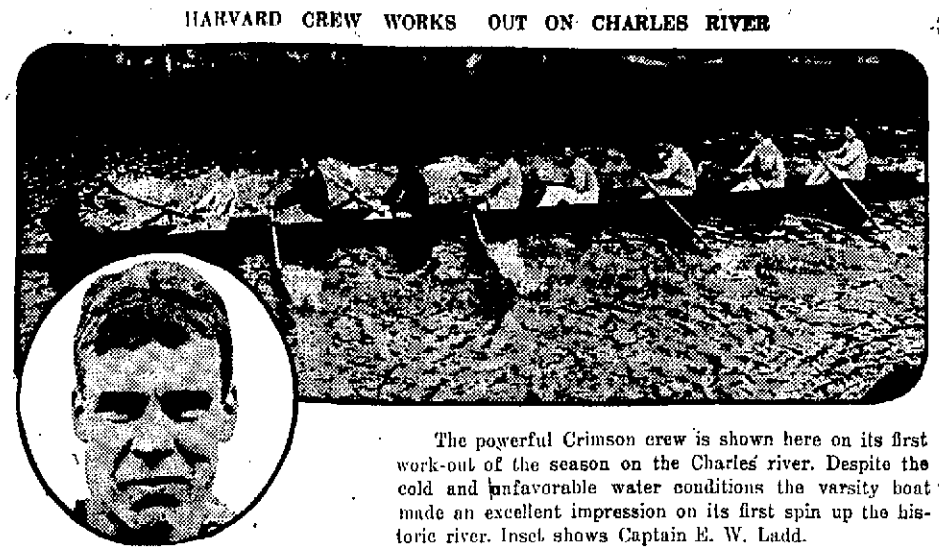
Fr. Yunavich, at the Church of the Holy Stanislaus, kept the services going from morning until night, holding the congregation in the church during the time set for the requisition.

Archbishop Zepliak, wearing a red hat and red bell, is the center of the group of defendants, most of whom are young. Their lawyers are stubbornly contesting the accusations made by Nikolai Krylenko, president of the Supreme Revolutionary Tribunal, who is acting as prosecutor.

The Best Medicine For Women

When Mr. Myers of Winston-Salem, North Carolina, stepped into the drug store and asked his druggist for the best medicine he had in his store for woman's ills, is it any wonder he was handed a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound? Mrs. L. K. Myers in writing of it says: "I had been weak, run down and had a pain in my left side for a long time, so I could not do my work. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound helped me in a short time so I was able to do all of my housework, including washing and ironing, and now I feel fine all the time." As Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound holds the record for benefiting 98 women out of every 100 women who take it, it will pay every suffering woman to try it.—Adv.

HARVARD CREW WORKS OUT ON CHARLES RIVER



The powerful Crimson crew is shown here on its first work-out of the season on the Charles river. Despite the cold and unfavorable water conditions the varsity boat made an excellent impression on its first spin up the historic river. Inset shows Captain E. W. Ladd.

CADILLAC MOTOR CAR CO. PRESENTS TABLET

Among the thousands hurrying past the intersections of two of Detroit's main thoroughfares at the busy noon hour recently, hundreds paused to witness ceremonies commemorating events connected with the founding of the city on the same spot more than two centuries earlier.

Behind the listening throngs roared the life of a city of more than a million, nearly drowning words of the speakers. A few straying Indians on that earlier date had been the only witnesses. No noise from the surrounding wilderness had dimmed the voices of the handful of men who then planted the flag. The river had then rolled free, unhindered by wharfs, buildings or restraining walls. The quiet lapping of its waves had then made only the lightest accompaniment to the sledge blows that sunk posts for the walls of the new fort.

During these two centuries Detroit has grown from a trading post of 200 persons to an industrial center of more than a million, fourth largest city of the country, leader in the output of its automotive industries, and among the first in varied lines of manufacture.

The occasion of the recent celebration was the 223d anniversary of the birth of Antoine de la Mothe Cadillac, founder of the city, born March 5, 1658. A tablet erected upon a building standing on the site where bold French pioneers drove the first posts of the stockade in 1701, was presented to the city in the name of the Cadillac Motor Car company by its president, H. H. Rice, and was accepted in behalf of the city by Mayor Lodge.

After the unveiling ceremonies, invited guests adjourned to a luncheon, after which Detroit's historiographer, Clarence M. Burton, who has traveled over the scenes of Cadillac's activities from his birth to his death, gathering data from original sources, gave an address upon the significance of the nobleman's life to Detroit and the surrounding country.

Among the guests attending the events were members of the city council, heads of city departments, judges of circuit and recorder's courts, the French counsel and members of local historical and patriotic societies.

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John J. Walsh, prominent American Legion man in this city, whose engagement to Miss Julia A. Moynihan was announced some time ago, was tendered a testimonial banquet by a group of friends in Cole's Inn last night. James F. O'Donoghue was toastmaster at the happy gathering and after relating several amusing stories in connection with the guest and his associations with the local post of the Legion, he introduced the following speakers: Collin C. Macdonald, Michael F. Quinn, Thomas B. Higgins, Edward Sirois of Lawrence, manager of the Veterans' bureau, Commander Joseph A. Molloy of the Lowell Post, Stephen C. Garrity, Harry Cole, Dr. Caldicott, Robert A. Ginivan and others.

Mr. Walsh was the recipient of a valuable humidor and smoking set, the presentation being made by John J. O'Grady. Among those present were Robert J. Rutledge, Collin C. Macdonald, Arthur P. Moran, George Walsh, Patrick J. O'Hearn, Eugene Loupret, M. H. Harrington, Stephen C. Garrity, John O'Grady, M. F. Quinn, James F. O'Donoghue, John J. Walsh, Joseph A. Molloy, George McCarthy, Joseph Lennan, J. J. Sullivan, Dr. Feeney, Edward Sirois, F. Killilea, J. J. Kearney, George Whelton, Joseph M. Dinneen, Richard Preston, Robert J. Ginivan, Collin H. MacKenzie, George F. Toye, Harry Tappan, Dr. Rufus Long, Dr. Francis Caldicott, Thomas B. Higgins, Thomas M. Gargan, George Taylor, J. Henry Gilbride, Stephen Kearney, Harry Cole, Allan Eveleth and Horatius B. Leggat.

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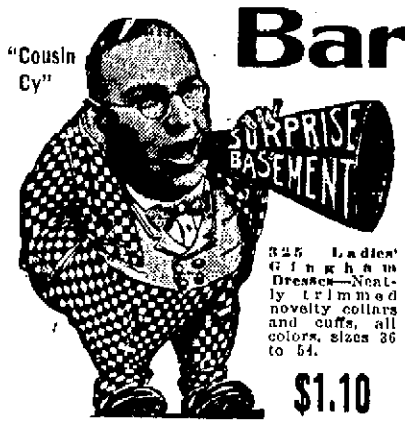

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New spring styles in fine **Oxford Tricotine and Silvertone,** expertly tailored. Every suit has a fine, silk lining. Labor alone cost double our price. Sizes 14 to 40. Wonderful at

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New Coats

Stylish spring sport coats—patch pockets, new sleeve and collar effects, all silk lined. Materials are **Camelaire, Polo Cloth, Overplaids and Velours.** All colors. Sizes 16 to 44. 218 in the lot. Come early. While they last.

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AGED WOMEN PERISH IN ALMSHOUSE

Seven aged women, inmates of the Allegany County Almshouse at Angelica, N. Y., were burned to death when flames swept the structure in a mysterious midnight fire. Two attendants lost their lives attempting to rescue trapped victims. Above are shown the ruins of the women's dormitory where six women perished.

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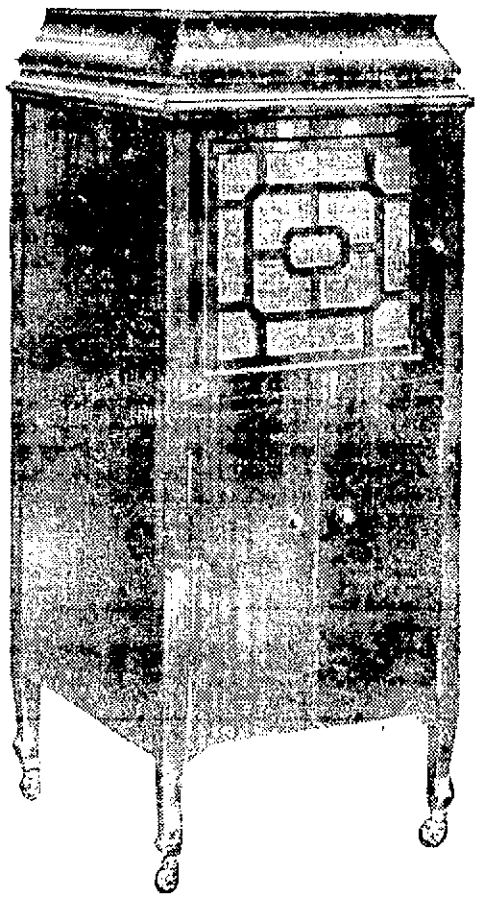

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UNITED STATES DEFICIT $180,000,000

WASHINGTON, March 23.—(By the Associated Press)—Administration hopes for completing the fiscal year ending June 30 with a balanced budget suffered a setback last night with a computation by Director Lord of the budget, indicating a deficit for the 12 months of $180,000,000. His previous estimate of a deficit was around $117,000,000, but, because it now appears likely that any interest payments by the British government will be made in Liberty bonds instead of cash, funds from that source cannot be counted on to aid in cutting down the excess of expenditures over receipts.

It had been expected by the budget bureau that about $69,000,000 would be paid in cash by the British government before the end of the fiscal year, as interest on that country's debt, and that this could be applied to current treasury account. Completion of the refunding agreement, which permits Great Britain to purchase American government bonds in the open market and turn them over to the treasury, has obliged the budget director to alter his calculations.

Plans New Economy Campaign

Director Lord announced a new campaign yesterday to further curtail federal expenditures, although simultaneously with his announcement came an official statement from the treasury that collections of income and profits taxes between March 1 and March 15 would aggregate between $425,000,000 and $450,000,000. In computing the deficit of $180,000,000, Director Lord estimated, as did the treasury, receipts from this quarterly tax payment at $400,000,000.

On the basis of a deficit of $117,000,000, budget officers believed they would effect economies that would sufficiently curtail expenses to wipe out almost the difference between income and outgo. They must now turn elsewhere to find funds to aid them in winning back the ground they lost through the apparent determination of the British government to use the option of paying in Liberty bonds rather than in cash.

Smaller payments have reached the treasury through the shipping board and the navy department to offset about $6,000,000 of the loss through the British refunding arrangement and the belief was expressed that further help may be had from the same quarters. The budget bureau, however, is not optimistic and called attention last night to added expenditures for which the 67th congress provided in its closing days, none of which had been calculated in the previous estimate of a $117,000,000 deficit.

Large Tariff Receipts

Tariff duties are yielding revenue at the rate of almost $2,000,000 a day and customs officials are calculating receipts in excess of $500,000,000 for the year ending June 30.

There were indications yesterday that the amount the government will receive for the sales of surplus war materials will be greater than the total on which Gen. Lord previously had counted. Officials of the war and navy departments are being prodded by the budget bureau to press the disposition of the surplus property, while it is expected in some quarters that administration action on the question of disposing of the merchant ships will bring more money back to the government than was taken into account in earlier calculations.

Gen. Lord declared he regarded President Harding's declaration of hope for a balanced budget as equivalent to "orders to get it done." He will press the economy campaign with renewed vigor, he announced, in an effort to realize the executive's hope.

EINSTEIN ANNOUNCES GREAT DISCOVERY

BERLIN, March 23.—(By Associated Press) A new discovery which, it is believed, will create an even greater sensation than his theory of relativity, has been announced by Prof. Albert Einstein, famous German scientist, upon his arrival at Kantara, Egypt, after his recent trip to Japan with his wife.

Prof. Einstein is withholding the details of the discovery, stating merely that it concerns the connection between the earth's power of attraction and terrestrial magnetism.

The scientist, according to dispatches received here, declared his mental processes were greatly facilitated by the long sea voyage.

"Between the roaring ocean and the endless canopy of heaven the flight of thoughts is indeed wonderful," he said. "Far from the noises of cities, and above all undisturbed by the horrible telephone, I could attain a concentration of thought which I otherwise could not have achieved."

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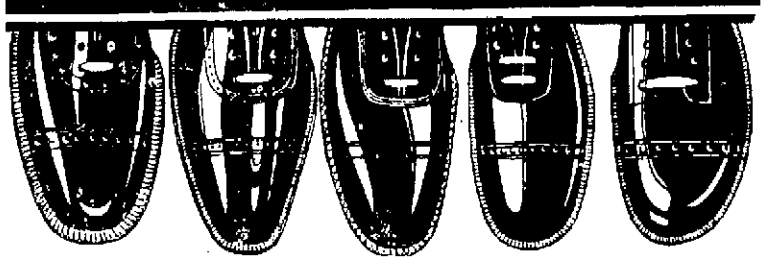

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For the exchange of good recipes

The Cream Pitcher

BORDEN'S Recipe Club is a unique organization composed of 25,000 women who love to cook.

You can belong to this club too. Membership is open to everybody, because the more members we have, the more interesting it becomes to the rest. For every member is urged to contribute her household ideas, and, especially, her choice recipes for the pleasure and profit of the rest of the members.

Because the club has grown amazingly in the past year the Borden Company has decided to publish this column from time to time in the newspapers so that the club benefits may be extended to as many women as possible.

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Contributions Invited

¶ Probably you have some ideas of your own which will appeal to every other woman in the club. If you have, send them in. All kinds of contributions will be welcome. And the best of them will be printed in this column. Names of contributors will be printed too, unless otherwise requested.

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¶ One of the features of the club is a yearly prize recipe contest. Here are some of the prize winners in last year's contest. When you are at your wits' end to think of something new to eat, try one of these. Variety and flavor are what make the family prefer *your* cooking to that of anybody else!

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LOBSTER PATTY

(Canned lobster may be used in place of fresh)

2 cups diced, boiled lobster, fresh or canned
1 cup mushrooms, broken in small pieces
½ small onion, minced
1 tablespoonful green pepper, minced
2 tablespoonful pimiento, cut in small pieces
3 tablespoonfuls butter
2 tablespoonfuls flour
½ teaspoonful salt
2 egg yolks, beaten
1½ cups Borden's Evaporated Milk
½ cup water
Patty cases or toast points
Dash of cayenne
Dash of nutmeg or mace

Melt the butter in a double boiler. Add the onion, parsley, and green peppers. Stir and cook five minutes. Add the mushrooms and pimiento and cook five minutes. Stir in the flour. Dilute 1½ cups of milk with water and pour in slowly, stirring until it thickens. Add the lobster and cook ten minutes. Just before serving add the remaining milk to the egg yolks. Add to mixture and cook five minutes. Serve in patty cases or on toast points. If preferred, the mushrooms may be omitted and chicken substituted for the lobster.

Miss M. G. Champlin,
New York City

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1 tablespoonful butter
1 tablespoonful flour
Salt and pepper to taste
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½ cup water
Pastry
1 egg yolk, beaten
Sifted bread crumbs

Make a sauce of the butter, flour and the milk diluted with water. Add the meat or fish and season to taste. If meat is used, a little gravy may be stirred into the mixture. Cut out rounds of pastry rolled thin (about three inches in diameter). Place a spoonful of the mixture on each round. Fold over, after wetting the edges with cold water; press together. Dip in the yolk of egg diluted with one tablespoonful cold water, then in bread crumbs, and fry in deep fat. Serve very hot.

Mrs. Wallace B. Smith,
Seattle, Wash.

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FAR EAST ATHLETES PROMISE TO SHOW WELL

NEW YORK, March 23—(By the Associated Press.)—A new "oriental menace" is facing the western world.

Far from having any warlike significance, however, the cause of "apprehension" this time is based upon a growing development of athletic prowess in the far east which threatens to challenge the supremacy of American and European stars in various branches of sport.

Comparatively little is realized in this country of the tremendous forward strides which athletics have taken in the past decade in the orient, especially in China, Japan and the Philippines, our island possession. These three nations, banded together in the far eastern athletic association, the major sport governing body, have taken the initiative in putting recreational activities on its present high plane.

As the result of progress which has been unostentatious but none the less effective, the rest of the athletic world is beginning to focus its attention on this far eastern development. Right now particular interest is being manifested in the 1923 far eastern games, a biennial affair modelled along Olympic lines. The meet this year is the sixth since 1913 and will be held in Osaka, Japan, beginning May 21. It promises to witness a calibre of performance comparing favorably with the best in this country and Europe, and in the far east it is looked upon as a preliminary step toward real representation from that part of the world in the Paris Olympics of 1924.

Conditions peculiar to the orient undoubtedly will preclude the possibility of far eastern peoples competing generally on an even footing with their Caucasian rivals, but high class talent in many branches of activity is being produced as a result of systematic training and encouragement. As an example, the list of track and field stars, according to latest reports, includes several 10-second sprinters, while unusual proficiency is being developed in such sports as swimming, tennis and boxing.

Proof of the invasion of western standards also is shown in the program for the far eastern meet which will include competition in volleyball, basketball, rugby football and baseball.

Women, too, are following the leadership of their American and European sisters in taking a more active part in athletics. Tennis and swimming events for feminine participants form a part of the international program.

American leadership and principles have been largely responsible for the athletic awakening in the far east. Interest first was stimulated in the Philippines, where natives proved eager and apt pupils, and has spread throughout the orient.

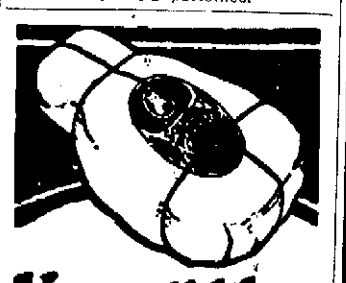
One of the outstanding figures in this development was Elwood S. Brown, of New York, now executive officer of the newly launched national amateur athletic federation, but who for years stimulated athletic activity in the far east as a Y.M.C.A. worker. With others he was instrumental in staging the first far eastern games in 1913, at Manila, and bringing China and later Japan into the far eastern athletic association. Siam and Malaya also were induced to become members of this association, but the outbreak of the world war forced both to withdraw from active participation.

"Reports I have received from the far east indicate that this year's games will be the most successful ever held," Mr. Brown declared in discussing the athletic situation in the orient. "China, Japan and the Philippines all promise to have strong teams in the field. Keen rivalry exists among these nations, and they are anxious to develop talent which will be worth sending to the Olympics at Paris.

"The city of Osaka is building a big concrete stadium for the events and expects to handle average daily crowds of 20,000."

LEAVE IT TO BRIDGET

WOKING, England, March 21.—Every night in years Bridget Thelan, housemaid, had looked under the bed for an intruder. Then she looked and saw one. She grasped him by the collar and made him give back her wrist watch which he'd purloined.



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THIS is our busiest season—and good reason for it. Never in the history of our business have the Spring Garments been of such fine materials and styles. Oh, Lady, what a treat is in store for you when you step in to examine the new Coats, Suits, Wraps, Capes and other wearing apparel, which keep pouring in on us. Last Saturday and Monday found us wallowing in the marts of trade. People stood in line to be waited on—Why? Because you find HONEST VALUES—and in order to make it doubly attractive to buy here this season, we have decided to hold a Sale for FRIDAY, SATURDAY and next MONDAY. One thing we ask: Try to shop in the morning. We can give you better service, for the afternoons find us so busy that we are at times unable to give you the benefit of correct selections of your new Spring wear. Keep that in mind and remember we are holding over this Sale to Monday to accommodate late shoppers.

HERE ARE A FEW GROUPS:

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Highest Grade Wraps, Capes and Coats—The Year's Novelties—One-of-a-kind—Specially Priced

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Again—a new lot of new Spring Dresses just received, in silks and other popular materials. Wonderful values in this new lot, with prices ranging from the lowest to the highest—to fit your pocketbook. We could tell you of the many beauties of these new Spring Dresses, but seeing them will convince you of these values better than cold type could show you.

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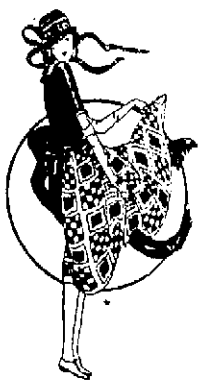

CHILDREN'S WEAR

Children's New Spring Coats, Capes and Wraps..... **$2.98 to $7.98**
Children's New Silk Spring Dresses, **$5.98, $7.98, $9.98**
Children's Gingham Dresses, **98c, $1.49, $1.98**
Children's Spring Hats **98c and $1.98**

WOMEN'S WEAR

New Silk Waists and Overblouses, **$1.98, $2.98, $4.98**
Ladies' Slip-on Sweaters; $3 value, **$1.89 and $1.98**
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LOWELL DISTRICT COURT

Varied List of Cases on Docket—Heavy Sentences in Liquor Case

James Downey, charged with illegally keeping liquor, maintaining a liquor nuisance, and assaulting an officer, was found guilty of all three complaints in the district court before Judge Frederic A. Fisher this morning and received a total fine of $250 and a sentence of two months to the house of correction, $100 and one month on each of the first two charges and $50 on the third. He appealed and was ordered to recognize in the sum of $700 for his appearance in the superior court on the first Monday in April.

Will Be Heard Tomorrow

The case of William J. Allard, charged with a statutory offence in connection with the alleged assault on a 16-year-old girl in a Middlesex street lodging house last Thursday night, will be heard in the district court tomorrow morning. Since the incident, Allard has been held in $5500 bonds.

Manoog Avedesian, who was arrested with Allard, for carrying a concealed weapon without a license, will also appear tomorrow.

In the district court this morning, George Lannigan pleaded guilty to being drunk. He was arrested by Officer Swanwick in Middlesex street yesterday afternoon. He was ordered to pay a fine of $10.

John H. Bechard walked into the police station yesterday afternoon and asked Deputy Downey to lock him up. He was charged with drunkenness and this morning received a sentence of three months to the house of correction.

Roside Chateauneuf was granted a continuance until April 2 for illegal keeping.

John D. Pomerleau, on a threatening charge, was allowed a continuance until March 30.

An assault and battery charge against Joseph O. Parent, was continued to tomorrow, bonds being fixed at $200.

Charges of illegal keeping against Albert de Angelo and Louis Joseph were continued to April 2 and 5 respectively.

Juvenile Session

In the juvenile session of the district court this morning, Bernard King of Boston and Clarence D. Avignon of Waltham, were sentenced to the industrial school at Shirley and the Lyman school at Westborn, respectively, for violation of the rules of the Middlesex County Training school in North Chelmsford.

WOMEN'S GOLF TOURNEY

PINEHURST, N. C., March 23—A record-breaking field of more than 150 contestants lined up for the start of the qualifying round on the annual North and South Women's Golf tournament today. Miss Glenna Collett, national champion; Miss Marion Hollins, former national champion, and Mrs. Ronald H. Barlow, several times holder of the North and South title, were among the entries.

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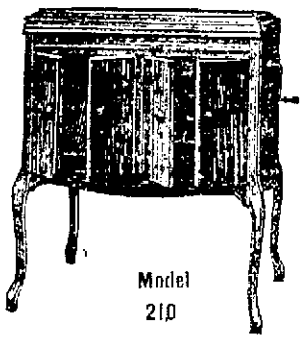

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"When You and I Were Young, Maggie Blues" Miss Patricola and Billy Murray, with the Virginians' Orchestra.
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18926—10-in.—75c
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"When the Leaves Come Tumbling Down" Aileen Stanley and Billy Murray

18930—10-in.—75c
"My Buddy" ..... Henry Burr
"Down Old Virginia Way" Edna Brown and Henry Burr

18903—10-in.—75c
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GRAY HAIR BECOMES DARK AND BEAUTIFUL

Try Grandmother's Old Favorite Recipe of Sage Tea and Sulphur

Almost everyone knows that Sage Tea and Sulphur, properly compounded, brings back the natural color and lustre to the hair when faded, streaked or gray. Years ago the only way to get this mixture was to make it at home which is mussy and troublesome.

Nowadays we simply ask at any drug store for "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound." You will get a large bottle of this old-time recipe improved by the addition of other ingredients, at very little cost. Everybody uses this preparation now, because no one can possibly tell that you darkened your hair, as it does it so naturally and evenly. You dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning the gray hair disappears, and after another application or two, your hair becomes beautifully dark, thick and glossy and you look years younger.—Adv.

PARISH HOUSE BURNED

$12,000 Loss Caused by Mysterious Fire in Parish House of St. Peter's at Rockdale

WHITINSVILLE, March 23.—The parish house of St. Peter's church at Rockdale, was burned early today, causing a loss estimated at $12,000. The frame building, originally a church, in addition to its use as a parish house, was occupied by several fraternal orders which lost all their paraphernaria. The origin of the fire is undetermined.

PIGGLY WIGGLY HEAD AWAITS DEVELOPMENTS

MEMPHIS, Tenn., March 23.—Clarence Saunders, president of the Piggly Wiggly Stores, Inc., and central figure in the sensational fluctuation of stock on the New York stock exchange Tuesday when sellers of 25,000 shares were alleged to have been caught "short," was again in non-committal retirement today, awaiting developments after his statement late last night in which he asserted his expectations that "the shares of stock due me will be settled on the proper basis without court action."

"It is unbelievable that the august and all-powerful New York stock exchange is a welcher or that it will allow its members to welch on contracts," Mr. Saunders declared.

He had made no estimate, Mr. Saunders said, of probable profit to the Piggly Wiggly pool as a result of the deal. Three o'clock yesterday afternoon had been fixed as the time limit for "shorts" to settle at $150 a share, with Mr. Saunders, who asserted in Tuesday's "ultimatum" that the price thereafter would be $250.

The Piggly Wiggly head declined to reveal the identity of persons operating with him in support of the pool, whose resources, he said, were "around a hundred million dollars." Members of the pool, however, are known to be capitalists of Memphis and other southern cities.

STATE TO REST TODAY IN HERRIN RIOT TRIAL

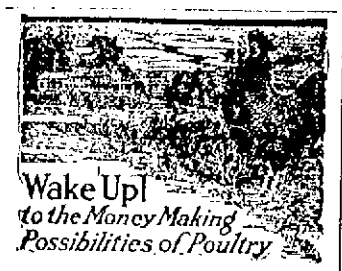
MARION, Ills., March 23. (By the Associated Press.)—The state expected to rest its case in the second Herrin riot trial today. The defense of the six men charged with the murder of Antonio Mulcavich, of Erie, Pa., will probably begin its testimony today.

Albert Officer, a state's witness, yesterday told of the surrender of the non-union miners on the advice of Col. Sam Hunter, representative of the state adjutant general. He said the men had promises from the mob outside the mine that they would not be injured. He identified Hugh Willis, one of the defendants and state executive board member of the Illinois Miners, as the man who drove up to the mine in an automobile just prior to the slayings.

MRS. WEEKS ON WAY TO WASHINGTON

BRUNSWICK, Ga., March 23.—Mrs. John W. Weeks, wife of the secretary of war, who was removed from the yacht Everglades because of illness at this port, yesterday, today was en route to Washington, with her husband on a special train.

A bulletin issued last night by physicians, said an improvement was noted in her condition since coming to land.



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SPECIAL B. V. May Good Everyday HOSE 18c 3 Pair 50c

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Made in Your Favorite Knitted or Woven Fabric —In Styles to Suit You.

THEY SAVE TIME!

We have a Kind at a Price to Suit You | Fit Better Wear Longer Launder Easier | Seek Comfort? See these Union Suits

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Of fine Nainsook cloth—in Athletic style—slightly irregular

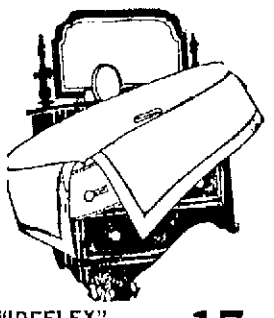
$1.00 Pure Silk Knitted Neckwear

In a profusion of new stripes and colors—featuring the popular light shades.

55c 2 for $1.00

Hey, Eddie! A New Creation in Neckwear 69c

COLLARS



"IDEFLEX" Semi-Soft Collars 17c
ARATEX Semi-Soft Collars 23c
"SHIEK" A new low Semi-Soft Collar 35c
"FASCISTI" Black Silk Collars 45c
"IDEFLASH" A New Ide Collar 15c
"ARVERNE" A New Arrow Collar ... 15c

GARTERS

35c "BOSTON" Pad Garters 16c
35c "PARIS" Pad Garters 19c
Boston and Paris Silk Pad Garters 29c
50c Wide Web Garters 35c
50c Double Grip Boston Garters.. 39c

SHIRTS

"Ed Wynn" A New Creation in SHIRTS

Made in solid colors, with new style cords; collar to match—

$2.45

$2 Collar Attached Shirts $1.19
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"ESAYCHR" SPECIAL A New Silk Lined SOFTIE Cap $1.65

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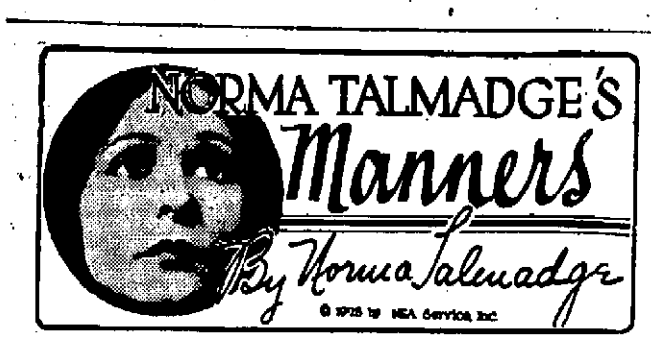

If the mark of a king is his crown, the mark of a gentleman is his hat, and how he handles it. The hat has a social language all its own. There is a suitable hat for every occasion and a suitable style of hat for every head. A man's method of lifting or doffing his hat may be as expressive of gentility as his bearing in a ball room.

The Man's Hat

1 A man takes off his hat when riding with a woman in an elevator in a club, hotel, apartment or store; when he stops to speak to a woman on the street; when he must wait for a funeral to pass, when the national "colors" are passing, and when the national anthem is played.

2 A man merely lifts his hat as a conventional gesture to strangers, whenever he must recognize their presence.

3 A man lifts his hat when offering a woman a seat in a car, and again when she thanks him—which she should invariably do.

4 Whenever a man unavoidably obtrudes on a woman, as when meeting her in a narrow passage where he must make way, he lifts his hat.

5 A man lifts his hat and bows when meeting acquaintances or friends, the graciousness of his bow and the cordiality of his smile being the measure of the impression he would create.

Tomorrow: Etiquette of Paying.

AUTHOR FOUND DEAD IN BARN

STAMFORD, Conn., March 23.—Chas. H. Crandall, an author, was found dead in his barn near here today with a bullet wound in the right temple. Apparently he had committed suicide as his housekeeper, Mrs. Huntley, had found a note from him thanking her for her services and then had discovered the body in the barn. She said Mr. Crandall had been in ill health for some time. He was a member of the American Institute of Arts and Sciences and had written extensively for magazines.

URUGUAY NOT TO PRESS LEAGUE PLAN

SANTIAGO, Chile, March 23.—(By the Associated Press) With the arrival of the Uruguayan delegation, it became generally known that Uruguay is not disposed to press upon the Pan-American conference her scheme for a league of American nations.

It is reported that the sentiment of a majority of the delegations including that of the United States is opposed to considering the plan at this conference. This view is said to have been informally communicated to Uruguay.

$30,000 FIRE LOSS IN REVERE FIRE

REVERE, March 23.—The three-story frame Belvidere block in Edward E. Horr, Jr., square, near Revere beach, was swept by fire today, causing a loss estimated at $30,000. Several stores were burned out, as well as tenements on the upper floors. The fire started in a restaurant on the ground floor.

MRS. MALLORY RECOVERS EYE

PARIS, March 23.—As Mrs. Molla Bjurstedt Mallory's vacation draws to an end, she is beginning to find her tennis eye, says the Herald's Cannes correspondent. The American champion who defeated Miss Kathleen MacKane, in a hard fought match yesterday, meets Mrs. Beamish today. The correspondent asserts that the tournament is likely to end in a final round match between Mrs. Mallory and Miss Elizabeth Ryan.

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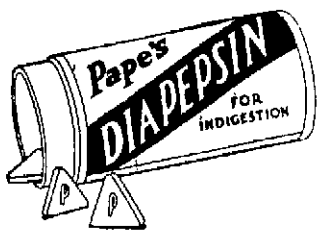

Instant relief from sourness, gases or acidity of stomach; from indigestion, flatulence, palpitation, headache or any stomach distress.

The moment you chew a few "Pape's Diapepsin" tablets your stomach feels fine.

Correct your digestion for a few cents. Pleasant! Harmless! Any drug store.—Adv.

FILE WILL OF LATE JAMES McDERMOTT

The will of the late James H. McDermott, Lowell's pioneer undertaker, whose funeral took place yesterday, was filed this morning at the probate court at East Cambridge, by Attorney James H. Gilbride, executor of the will.

There are no public bequests in the will and the estate, which consists mostly of valuable property, is bequeathed to a sister-in-law of deceased, Celia McDermott, with whom deceased had made his home for several years past.

The will is dated July 8, 1919, and contained one specific bequest which has lapsed since that time, however. In this bequest deceased devised the property in Locke, South and Gorham streets to the Roman Catholic archbishop of Boston, but this parcel of property is no more included in the estate, as it was seized by right of eminent domain a couple of years ago, by the city, for the widening of Locke street at its junction with Gorham street.

SHOTS EXCHANGED

Vice President of Free Syndicate of Barcelona in Battle

SARGOSSA, Spain, March 23.—The vice president of the Free Syndicate of Barcelona was fired upon when he arrived here yesterday. Uninjured, he promptly returned the fire, wounding several men.

Loss Estimated at $30,000

Continued

of hose lines, but after a steam-drying process the loss chargeable to smoke and water will not be great.

The air shaft situated in one corner of the shower-bath and toilet room in the basement carried the flames to the top of the building almost in an instant, but it was not until they reached the third floor that they broke out of the shaft and spread into the building proper. In their ascent they roared past the forge and wood-turning rooms of the manual training department on the first and second floors hardly without scorching the walls, but the first year manual training room on the third floor was considerably damaged when the walls of the shaft gave way and allowed the fire to spread.

City and school department officials, including Mayor John J. Donovan, Headmaster Henry H. Harris of the high school, Business Agent Henry H. Williams and William F. Thornton, supervisors of janitors, were early at the fire and generously commended the firemen for their work in checking the blaze and confining it to one end of the building.

The firemen had plenty of room in which to work and fought the fire from three sides of the building and from on top of the roof. Water rushed through corridors and down stairways and spread out over the entire floor areas of the building and over the floor of the drill shed in the basement, but left its mark only in debris that soon can be cleaned away. One hundred new service rifles for the boys' regiment were stored in the drill shed, unopened, but when taken from their wooden boxes this morning were found to be undamaged. The rifles standing in the racks also were untouched by water.

Papers in the office of the continuation school and documents pertaining to the work of the girls' vocational school and the manual training department of the high school were salvaged this forenoon in fairly good condition.

The first work undertaken by Headmaster Harris was the transfer of manual training classes from the annex to the new building. This transfer, by the way, will be permanent, for all machinery will be moved into rooms in the main building ready to receive it. This transfer was to have been made during the coming summer vacation period, but the fire has hastened the time and it will be done immediately.

It is believed the girls' vocational and continuation school classes can be resumed next week, while the day high school classes will not be disrupted except in the matter of military drill.

Water did not entirely smother fires in the boilers and engineers had steam up before 8.30 o'clock. The work of repairing the damage began this forenoon and school department officials believe the building may be used again next week.

The fire was first detected by Wallace Allen, a night watchman at the Boott mills. Mr. Allen smelled smoke and sent another watchman, Peter Gagnon, to investigate. Mr. Gagnon discovered the fire and sent in an alarm from box 217.

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When Sick, Bilious, Headachy, Constipated, for Sour Stomach, Gases, Bad Breath, Colds

Clean your bowels—then feel fine! When you feel sick, dizzy, upset, bilious, when your head is dull or aching, or your stomach is sour or gassy, just take one or two Cascarets. As soon as the bowels begin acting and bowel poison and bowel gases are cleared away, you will feel like a new person.

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It looks like more money and wears like a more expensive shoe. They're manufactured and sold on the narrowest possible margin of profit; they're the largest selling shoes of their kind in Lowell; they have 20 years of shoe experience back of their making, experience that has produced judicious economy without sacrificing quality.

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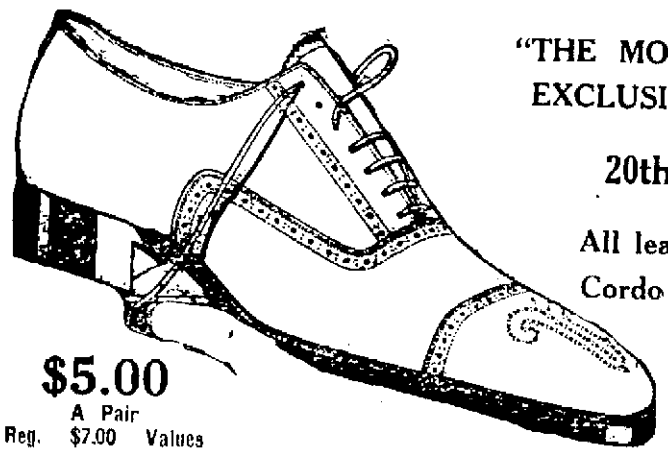

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GOVERNOR BAXTER IS RIGHT

It is refreshing to find Governor Baxter, of Maine, coming out strongly in opposition to the Sheppard-Towner law and declaring that "the state of Maine will not sell her birthright for a mess of pottage." In a message to the legislature vetoing the resolve to accept the provisions of the Sheppard-Towner law, "for the protection, welfare, and hygiene of maternity and infancy, and for other purposes," he protested against its passage as "an unwarranted invasion by the federal government of the sovereign rights of the state of Maine, because it establishes at Washington a bureau, the purpose of which is to invade the privacy of our homes, because it implies that the state of Maine cannot and will not properly care for those of its mothers and children who need assistance, and because it pauperizes our state."

In this respect Governor Baxter has set the state of Maine as a leader in opposition to a movement that threatens state rights throughout the country by the establishment of a bureaucracy at Washington with authority to interfere in the domestic affairs of the people of the various states and to carry on so-called relief work which the state alone can properly administer. Governor Baxter is to be congratulated upon the stand he has taken, and in this case it is sincerely to be hoped that the old slogan, "As goes Maine so goes the country," will be fully verified.

If the Sheppard-Towner law were generally accepted, then there would be a great drive for the Smith-Towner bill which would interfere in educational matters as the Sheppard-Towner in domestic affairs now properly regulated by the individual states. This measure would also compel the large and wealthy states of the north to pay part of the cost of lifting the poorer and unprogressive states of the south up to northern standards. With two such measures firmly established, then bureaucracy would be in the saddle at Washington and neither the rights of the states nor the liberties of the people would have any protection against their insidious interference.

AN EQUITABLE LIVING WAGE

Social workers of Boston have decided that $1788 is the minimum income required to support a family of five in average comfort. This contemplates the upkeep of a family of husband and wife, two sons and a daughter. The degree of comfort which these investigators believe attainable with this annual stipend, would, they say, "afford somewhat more than a bare existence and would provide the essentials of health, decency and comfort and make possible the maintenance of self respect."

We sincerely wish that the social workers who reach these conclusions had done so by a practical demonstration of actually living on this income under the conditions contemplated. We venture to say that in many respects, they would find that they were mistaken as to the comforts attainable.

But it is true that many families of five and even more than five, live on sums much less than $1788. That amount would call for a weekly wage of $34.40; but it is safe to say, that not one third of the mill operatives of Lowell draw $30 per week.

There are families of husband and wife and six or seven children with only the husband's earnings for support of the entire number. How can such a family subsist on $25 a week or as in some cases even less?

The fact that there are many such families in Lowell and other cities makes the living wage question one of great importance.

The man who works in a factory for $25, $20 or less, would be very glad to see an arrangement under which his wage would be increased to $34.40; but nothing of the kind is in sight—not even proposed.

We are glad to find that these investigators state plainly that the family of five that has an income less than $1788 will fall beneath the poverty line. That is true and it is refreshing to find these social workers advocating a living wage which according to their statement would be about $1788 for the head of an average family.

There is a sound economic principle in the following statement from this report:

"The family, which is now endeavoring to subsist on a pre-war level of income, is inevitably being forced below the poverty line to the ultimate detriment of society as a whole.

"The burden must fall somewhere and so far as possible it should be carried by industry rather than by the taxpayer or philanthropist. While wagecutting is doubtless necessary in many instances, such reductions must not go below the level of reasonable subsistence. The goal of normalcy cannot be reached if the process of readjustment is to throw a considerable fraction of the population into the ranks of poverty and want. The principle of the living wage must be recognized if our social and industrial organization is to remain intact throughout the period of economic upheaval incident to the war. But the phrase 'living wage' means nothing unless it is expressed with reference to what it will buy in terms of commodities. It is therefore a problem not of money wages, but of real wages."

To find the living wage in terms of what the dollar will buy in household necessities, should be entirely practical. That should be the basis and thereafter the reward of merit. Skill or efficiency should rise above that base line. In fixing a minimum wage by legislation, some calculation such as that here presented should be made the basis of action, taking the income necessary for subsistence and establishing that as a minimum.

How vastly better such a solution would be than that which some of the bureaucratic reformers at Washington would provide for the husband and wife with a family of small children and an inadequate income! That panacea would be instruction in birth control which is but a recipe for race suicide.

This matter of setting the scientific minimum income necessary to enable a family of five to subsist in average comfort is one that should be carefully studied. It furnishes the key to a just and equitable living wage.

CAR LOADINGS

Further evidence of development in American trade, if any is needed, is to be found in the report of car loadings for the week ending March 3. The loadings for that week were the largest since the crop moving and the pre-holiday trade in the fall and winter of 1922, and exceed all previous records for this season of the year.

This points not only to an unprecedented volume of trade turnover, but is also of good omen from the viewpoint of railway earnings. News of this sort would be sufficient to start a real boom, if memories of 1918-1919-1920 were not so fresh in the minds of some of our business men in New England and other sections of the country. It is plain that the future augurs well for business to come in almost every line of industry, say what you will about the days that have passed.

TO INVESTIGATE THE RIVER

It is announced that the state department of health will investigate the contamination of the Merrimack which somebody described as being so foul that people living along the banks are obliged to close their windows in the summer time. One would assume from this that the river is little better than an open sewer; but anybody who passes up and down the Merrimack valley can realize what a falsehood this is. It is true that the sewage of some cities enters the Merrimack, but the volume is not sufficient to contaminate the water to the extent claimed at the state house. Somebody wanted the appropriation for an investigation and apparently the point has been carried.

AUTOS

Auto makers continue breaking all records. In January and February they made 145,708 more cars and trucks than in the first three months of any previous year. The February output was 271,000 machines, or at a rate of more than three million a year.

Pedestrians will have to gear themselves up a trifle higher, with more to dodge. There will be no relaxing until the flying machine takes the place of the auto. When it comes it will come as fast as the radio craze.

RAILROADS

Railroads report 15,581 locomotives laid up for repairs. That is 24 per cent of all the engines owned by all the roads. The figure is getting chronic.

Maybe we are barking up the wrong tree when we talk of "car shortage" instead of "locomotive shortage?" Motive power is the weakest point of railroad transportation. It would be well to inquire what connection, if any, this locomotive shortage has with the shopworkers' strike.

Can anybody explain why it is that so many out-of-town investors are buying property in this city? How comes it that so many men from Lawrence and Boston can come in here and purchase property at a good price and make it pay? Is there any reason why Lowell investors should be unalert in picking up good bargains in real estate in their own city?

It is an innovation in the right direction to have a committee of citizens sit in at the conference between the cotton mills and their operatives at Fall River. The operatives have demanded an increase of 15 per cent and it is expected that a satisfactory settlement will be reached at the conference to be held this evening.

Any bill that would give the city council control over the expenditure of the appropriation for schools should be killed. Such a bill, we are told, is House measure 943. If so, then it should be sent to the gibbet without the usual formalities.

The action of the American Woolen company in granting a 12½ per cent wage increase cannot fail to have some influence with the cotton mill men in settling the wage question with their employes. They may grant a higher percentage.

SEEN AND HEARD

Frank Day works nights.

Being sensible takes a lot of practice.

Arizona is called the cactus state. So is the state of matrimony.

Maybe you know already that out of pluck is out of luck.

"Billy" Faucet says one couple that shouldn't be divorced is steak and fried potatoes.

A Thought

Garments that have once one rent in them are subject to be torn on every nail, and glasses that are once cracked are soon broken; such is man's good name once tainted with just reproach.—Bishop Hall.

At Short Range

"We had not been hunting long," began a sportsman, boastingly, "when my rifle cracked and there lay a rabbit at my feet." "Had it been dead long?" asked his skeptical friend.—American Legion Weekly.

When East Matched West

A Californian and a New Englander were boasting. "Why," said the Californian, "we grow cabbages so big that an army of soldiers can camp under one." "That's nothing," said the New Englander, "we make copper kettles in New England so big that a thousand men can be riveting one and yet be so far apart they can't hear each other hammer." "Go on," said the Californian, "what would anyone use a kettle of that size for?" "Why to boil your California cabbages in," said the New Englander.—Indianapolis Tribune.

Those War Debts

Senator Borah said at a banquet in Washington: "Europe arms extravagantly and at the same time tells us with reproachful looks that we ought to be ashamed of ourselves for not letting her off her war debt. Europe reminds me of the milkman. A woman said to him one morning: 'Really, this is the limit. Your milk gets worse and worse. I verily believe it's nothing but chalk and water. How dare you advertise it as pure? Madam,' said the milkman reproachfully, 'to the pure all things are pure.'"—Washington Herald.

Capitol Jokes

U. S. Representative John E. Raker hails from California, second district, and this is his favorite story: The difference between theoretical knowledge and practical is illustrated by the story of the farmer who wandered into a chemical laboratory. He found several young chemists busy with retorts and test tubes. "What are you tryin' to do?" he asked. "We're endeavoring," replied one of the students, condescendingly, "to discover or invent a universal solvent." "What's that?" asked the farmer. "A liquid that will dissolve anything." "That's a great idea," agreed the farmer. "When you find it, what you gonna keep it in?"

Time Weighs Heavily

A clock repairer, while carrying a hall clock from a customer's house to his shop, which was only a short distance away, stopped to rest a moment, and glancing across the street saw a man in a slightly inebriated condition gazing at him intently. However, he gave little thought to this, and after a few minutes picked up his burden and proceeded to the foot of the street, where it became necessary to again rest. Across the street, still regarding him with intense interest, stood this same man. Just as the mystified clock repairer was about to move on this interested observer crossed the street and addressed him in this manner: "Say, mister, can I ask you something?" Upon being answered in the affirmative, he said: "I don't want to seem inquisitive or to butt in on your business, but why in H—— don't you carry a watch?"—American Mutual Magazine.

The Good Waiter

The woman was dining in a small restaurant with her young cousin. "I wonder if the flounder is good?" mused the young man. He made a gesture toward the waiter, and the woman laughed. "Did you ever in your life have a waiter tell you that something wasn't good?" she demanded. "You know he'll just say, 'very good, sir?'" But the waiter was already at the table, a fat, smiling waiter, with pink cheeks and round, blue eyes. "How's the flounder today?" asked the young man, importantly. The waiter knit his brows, peered at the menu card as though he expected to find the answer written there. "Wait just a moment, sir, and I'll see," he said, and bustled off while the woman watched incredulously. In a moment more he returned, beaming and nodding his head. "The flounder is especially fine today, sir—very fresh," he assured him. And as he returned to the kitchen to give the order for two flounders, the woman watched him with admiration in her eyes. "That's what I call a good waiter," she said. "Of course, he may not have gone near the flounders, but he certainly gave the impression of having examined them very carefully before permitting us to eat 'em."—New York Globe.

"The Traveler"

What matter that his crippled feet,
About his room scarce carry him,
His spirit finds adventures meet
In Fez, Fasheda, Sarkim.

How can his world seem small and bare,
When his brown eyes, so kind yet keen,
May welcome friends from here and there,
And see in them what they have seen?

When summer settles in his confines
He dreams of woodlands cool and dim;
He strolls in Dante's haunts, the pines
Of San Vitale sing to him.

And yet at times, when hours creep by,
Measured by crutch and crutch and chair,
His cloistered body seems to cry
For the free world of otherwhere.

Ah! some day, when he shall have drawn
His final, ineffectual breath,
He will set out across the dawn
On that great journey men call death.

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MAN ABOUT TOWN

Boom! one! two! three! four! repeated over and over again will soon be heard emanating from the drill shed at the high school as the boys learn the intricacies of the Butts' manual. But the boys this year have something to be thankful for in that they no longer are compelled to do this manual with 10 pound rifles. Their new rifles only weigh 4¾ pounds, less than half the weight of the old ones, and it is a good thing for them. The old rifles were too heavy either to carry or to do the manual with and in some cases military training with this equipment did more harm than good. I believe. Nowadays the freshman boys do not do any military drill, their physical instruction is all gymnasium work and if a boy gets tired there is no objection to his sitting down and resting. In the old days the freshmen took military drill as well as the others, and if one happened to be tall, no matter how slight he may have been, he was put into one of the first companies and was required to drill with the heavy rifle, and regardless of how tired he got during the knock-out or the field-day drill, he would not quit until he fainted. The gymnasium training that the boys are getting in their first year is also improving the appearance of the regiment, for in the "gym" they learn to stand erect and when, on their second year, they take military training, they know how and are physically able to stand as a soldier should.

It seems difficult to realize that Michael J. Monahan is dead. A man of fine physique, in the prime of life, of splendid carriage, his demise emphasizes the uncertainty of life. Michael Monahan was a splendid citizen, a quiet and unobtrusive man in many things, which others are wont to parade and display. I had a chat with him but a few weeks ago in A.O.H. hall when the final reports on the A.O.H. bazaar were read and he never looked better, and incidentally it was remarked by one of the ladies present that he was the picture of health. I can recall quite vividly his smile at the remark, and the painful thought that must come home today to those who were in that company that such a rugged pillar of Hibernianism in Lowell has gone to his eternal rest. He was a fine type of Irish gentleman, lovable, kind and true to every ideal of his race. He loved to engage in movements for the betterment of humanity and his work as president of the St. Vincent de Paul society of St. Peter's parish, done without ostentation, will lay up for him the blessings of many in whose behalf he became vitally interested. Men of his type are rare indeed and like Lycides he is dead before his time. When St. Peter's Holy Name society was on parade he was marshal and invariably led the line and seemed to take pride in being at the head of a religious organization devoted to clean speech and clean living. As one of the ushers of St. Peter's church, he was faithful, courteous and affable, and in many places the good works of Michael J. Monahan will be sadly missed, indeed.

While discussing the various real estate deals, which have been put through in this city in the past few months with a local real estate broker the other day, I was told that the reason most of the property is being sold to Lawrence speculators is that local men are having difficulty in securing the necessary cash from Lowell banks, while the banking institutions of the down-river city are cheerfully lending large amounts on Lowell property. This real estate broker informed me that the chief reason for Lawrence money being invested in Lowell buildings is that the down-river city real estate field has been exhausted, that is the valuable property has been sold over so many times, that there is no more profit to be made there. Several of Lowell's valuable commercial buildings, which have been sold recently have been purchased by residents of Lawrence and it is said that Lawrence capital is watching with eager eye any important parcel that is being placed on the market. "It seems to me," said my friend, "that Lowell financiers should be interested in not allowing the best parcels to drift into the hands of out-of-town speculators and that the local banking institutions should do their utmost to keep Lowell real estate in the hands of Lowell residents.

I have heard favorable comment concerning the proposed new building for the C.M.A.C. which when completed will be second to none of its kind in this part of the state. The C.M.A.C. is the strongest organization in the city among the French-speaking element and one that is a credit to the Oblate Fathers of St. Joseph's parish, for it was organized by the clergy and has progressed mainly through the efforts of the priests of the parish. It combines fraternalism with sociability while at the same time everything possible is being done for the welfare of its members. The organization is planning to spend about $75,000 on remodeling the old building and this will be money well spent, according to the members. The improvements in the quarters will bring about a drive for new members, which it is believed will help to increase the membership roll from 1300 to 2000.

Yesterday was only the second day of spring but the automobilists are evidently trying to rush the season a bit this year, for traffic through the square during the morning was almost equal to the traffic seen there in summer. I suppose the reason for the early rush to get the machines out was because the past winter has been so severe that the owners could not even take the autos out to go to church on Sunday if they wanted to. Parking space in the down-town section between 10 and 12 o'clock was at a premium and forecasted the condition that will rule this summer.

SUPPER AND SOCIAL

The first union supper and social of the Paige Street and Worthen Street Baptist churches, was held last evening in the vestry of the Paige Street church with a large attendance. At 5.30 o'clock a bountiful supper was served and at the close of the meal entertainment numbers were given by Mrs. Alice Kennedy, Miss Rosa Wotham, Miss Laurel Tucker, Miss Edna Sinnet, Wesley Boynton, Helmar Nibers, Lisle Sewell, George S. Drew, Miss Helen Baker, Russel M. Fox. The committee in charge of the event was composed as follows: Mrs. W. H. Upham, chairman, Mrs. Charles Crocker, Mrs. Alvin Joy, Mrs. Nathaniel Houston, Mrs. W. S. Craig, Mrs. W. A. Chase, Mrs. S. W. Wiggin, Mrs. Benjamin Beals, Mrs. John Barker, Mrs. Fred Burnham, Mrs. Benjamin Williams, Mrs. Arthur Johnson, Mrs. Harvey and Mrs. Colby.

TRUTH CENTRE MEETING

A meeting of Truth Centre is scheduled to be held this evening at 8 o'clock in the chamber of commerce rooms. It will be the eighth in the series on "Fundamental Principles of Truth." The subject tonight will be "Freedom from Delusions and Deceptions." George H. Weygandt will be the speaker.

Tom Sims Says

Perhaps a grocer in Norwalk, Conn., who sells eggs by the yard sells spaghetti by the dozen.

An Ohio girl of 20 frequently lapses into the personality of a child of four, which is not unusual.

Hollywood reports a movie star is better. Many of them could be.

Man in Atlanta, Ga., who looked into a girl's window will recover, but never look the same again.

Los Angeles leads in recruiting. Every day five men get so mad they go and join the army.

Seattle man, sued for divorce, claimed it was a horse hair on his coat and got away with it.

Rev. Edwards of Philadelphia claims there is no hell. Then what kind of a fix is it Europe is in?

A robber worked all night in Memphis, Tenn., and only made $14.

In Lima, O., the latest booze drink is called "ha ha" and maybe he who laughs last laughs best.

Stingiest roomer lives in Chicago. He didn't want to pay his rent because he had insomnia.

Louisville (Ky.) man who stole an auto to go riding will not go anywhere for six months now.

John Hannifin of Milwaukee has been a detective 38 years. Imagine being baffled 38 years!

When a man hangs around home during the daytime his wife wishes he would do it on a rope.

Fine thing about being in the minority is everybody seems to be.

Flappers don't wear much in winter and about all left of this in summer is the outskirts.

Wouldn't it be nice if we were always as nice as we sometimes are?

Finding a horseshoe or laughing when the boss pulls a joke are considered signs of good luck.

Kites are making some people look up for the first time in months.

A skinny man is not as bad off as a fat man because when they both get in jail they get fatter.

You can say for fleas that they soon go to the dogs.

One thing worse than having a job as a wife is being a stenographer, because it carries no alimony.

The man who said figures didn't lie never paid an income tax.

Baseball recruits are training at Hot Springs to cure cold feet.

Ray won in a 5000-meter race. Wish we had entered our gas meter.

A big fireproof building burned in San Francisco.

Flivvering with Berton Braley

THE DESERT

SALOME, ARIZ.

The Desert is a Bogy that they use t o scare the tourist with.
It really isn't very bad, its air is o fthe purest ,with
A tingle and a sparkle that are bound to make you vigorous.
Although of course the dessert sun is frequently quite rigorous.

But oh the tales that we were told of motor-tourist lost in it;
And how they wandered days and days by cruel sand-storms tossed in it!
The roads, they said, were terrible ,untraceable, unseekable,
The roads, they said, were terrible, untraceable, unseekable,

But none the less we took a chance, we found a trail well tramped in it,
And when the desert darkness fell we pitched our tent and camped in it.
No centipedes disturbed our sleep, no rattlesnakes molested us,
Beneath a clear and starry sky we cooked our meal and rested us.

The desert road was not so worse. I've traveled lots of tougher ones,
It had some soft and sandy spots, and other chucky, rougher ones.
But not one single mile of it would worry or would scare a son
Of Mississip' or Alabam'. Boy, there is no comparison!

If ever you should tour the west, don't let the desert frighten you.
The natives cross it every day, and if you've pep and light in you,
You'll navigate its shifting sands and rocky roads, no doubt of it,
And tell the world it's not so bad as you come safely out of it!

—BERTON BRALEY.

(Tomorrow: Where everybody has a horn to toot.)

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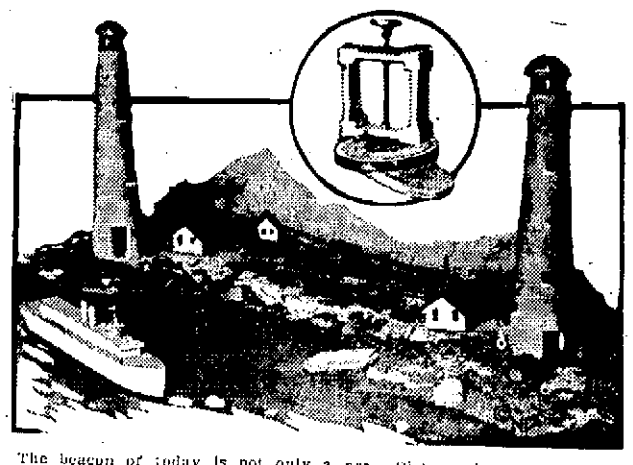

The beacon of today is not only a light to guide ships in the night. It is a regular series of radio flashes giving the location of the "lighthouse" from which the flashes come, so that passing vessels will know where they are. Picture shows models of the U. S. system of radio beacons. These consist of the radio lighthouse and lightship, and—most important—the radio compass (inset above by which any vessel can tell its location in relation to a fixed point along the coast.

Where You Can Listen-in Tonight

6.00-11.00—KYW (Chicago, Ill.) .....400 Meters
6.15- 7.30—WOR (Newark, N. J.) .....400 Meters
6.15-10.00—KDKA (Pittsburgh, Penn.) .....360 Meters
7.00-11.00—WIP (Philadelphia, Penn.) .....400 Meters
7.30- 8.00—WEAF (New York City) .....400 Meters
7.30- 9.30—WBZ (Springfield, Mass.) .....400 Meters
7.30- 9.30—WOC (Davenport, Ia.) .....400 Meters
7.45- 9.30—WGY (Schenectady, N. Y.) .....400 Meters
8.00- 9.00—WSB (Atlanta, Ga.) .....400 Meters
8.00-11.00—WOR (Newark, N. J.) .....400 Meters
8.00-10.00—WWJ (Detroit, Mich.) .....400 Meters
8.15- 9.30—NAA (Arlington, Va.) .....710 Meters
8.30-11.00—WJZ (Newark, N. J.) .....360 Meters
8.30-10.00—WHAS (Louisville, Ky.) .....360 Meters
9.00-11.00—KSD (St. Louis, Mo.) .....400 Meters
10.30-11.30—WGY (Schenectady, N. Y.) .....400 Meters
11.45-1 A. M.—WSB (Atlanta, Ga.) .....400 Meters

DETECTIVES ON THE AIR!

Radio Amateurs Are Checking Up On Interferences

The air will be cleared of interference to radio broadcast listeners if the efforts of the American radio relay league end in success.

This organization of radio amateurs has chosen 300 of its choice "hams" to act as detectives of various forms of interference. Between 7 and 10:30 each night, these detectives will listen in and record call signals of all stations overheard while a broadcasting program is being received.

Radio listeners know how telegraph stations have been spoiling their entertainments. Just as some fine violin solo was being sent over the wires from a 400-meter station, and the novice thought he was tuned in properly, he would hear a buzzing or crackling or whistling which drowned out the music. This interference came from naval, amateur or commercial stations, or they were produced by static.

The A.R.R.L. detectives are classifying these forms of interference so that when all reports are compiled at the Hartford, Conn., headquarters, the officials of the league will know what class to blame for the spoiled evenings.

Classification of these causes of interference, with determination of the most flagrant abuser, if possible, will help government authorities to fix wave lengths for various forms of transmitting stations.

The 600 broadcasting stations, with their 360 and 400-meter wave lengths, have already produced a problem for the department of commerce authorities.

Interference among these has become almost intolerable. What with further interference from static and the thousands of amateur and government stations scattered over the country, the task of clearing up the tangle has become almost a human impossibility.

It will, however, be considerably lightened through the detective work now being undertaken by the A.R.R.L. Establishment of the causes of interference may lead to a better system of radio transmission, with more widely distributed wave lengths, so that as little trouble may be encountered as possible.

Radio Broadcasts

STATION WQAS,
Prince's Store, Lowell

2.30-3.00—Talk on radio by Wilbur H. Hardy, district sales manager of Radio Corp. of America. Selections on the Brunswick phonograph and O'Connell Ampico.

Beginning next week station WQAS will broadcast on the following schedule: Monday, 2.30-3.00 p. m., 6.00-7.30 p. m. Wednesday, 2.30-3.00 p. m. Friday, 2.30-3.00 p. m., 6.00-7.30 p. m.

STATION WGI, MEDFORD HILLSIDE

3 p. m.—Women's club. "The Personnel of a Camp," a talk by Mrs. Eleanor Baldwin Cass. Reproductions on the phonograph and player-piano. Lesson from "The Bride's Own Cooking Primer," read by Ruth E. Newman.

5 p. m.—Girls' story hour, conducted by Miss Eugene L. Randall.

5.30 p. m.—New England weather forecast furnished by the United States weather bureau. Closing report on farmer's produce and live stock markets and butter and eggs reports (485 meters). Closing stock market reports.

6 p. m.—Late news and sports.

6.15 p. m.—Code practice.

6.30 p. m.—Boston police reports.

9.30 p. m.—Evening program: Travelogue by Mr. David M. Cheney. Concert by Ida Mae Werby, dramatic soprano; Rudolpho Fornari, baritone; Raymond Hill, pianist and accompanist. Duo from "Il Trovatore," "Ah, Dove Sei, Crudele," Ida Mae Werby and Rudolpho Fornari; duo from "Don Giovanni," "La ci darem la mano," Ida Mae Werby and Rudolpho Fornari; "Toreador Song," from Carmen; "Si Vous Avez Compres," Rudolpho Fornari; "Vissi Darte," Ida Mae Werby; "Love Sends a Little Gift of Roses," "Kiss Me Again," Ida Mae Werby; piano solo, selected, Mr. Hill.

STATION WNAC, BOSTON

4 p. m.—Dance music by the Shepard Colonial orchestra. Selections on the phonograph and player-piano.

8—9 p. m.—St. Paul's Cathedral, Cantata "Seven Last Words of Christ," Mr. Arthur Phelps, director; Mr. Robert Hughes, organist. Descriptive notes given before Cantata.

STATION WGY, SCHENECTADY

7.40 p. m.—Health talk, "Breaking Quarantine."

7.45 p. m.—Radio drama, "John Ferguson." Instrumental selection, "Reverie," Berge; WGY instrumental quartet, Tragedy, "John Ferguson." St. John Ervine. Time—late summer in a year in the early eighties. Act 1—Late afternoon in the house of John Ferguson. Instrumental selection, "When Lights Are Low," Kendall, quartet; Act 2—Same as Act 1, one hour later—dusk. Instrumental selection, "Romance," Borch, quartet; Act 3—The morning of the day after. Instrumental selection, "A Floral Poem," Levy, quartet; Act 4—Late afternoon of the day a fortnight later. Instrumental selection, "Orpheus," Gluck, quartet. Pallophototone address, Ellis Parker Butler, "Some Impressions of Humor."

10.30 p. m.—Musical program. String quartet selection, Opus 64 No. 5, Hayden, "Allegro Moderato, Adagio Cantabile, Menuetto Allegretto, Finale—Vivice, Rice String quartet. Soprano solos, "Three Questions," Johnson; "Were My Songs With Wings Provided," Hahn, Lois Hardesty; violin quet "Serenade," Godard, Thos. De Stefano and Edward A. Rice; soprano solos, "Don't You Mind the Sorrows," Cowles; "Boats of Mine," Miller, Lois Hardesty; violin solo, "Hungarian Rhapsody," Hauser, Thomas De Stefano; soprano solo, "To You," Rosenbeck, Lois Hardesty; string quartet selections, "Elegie," Strube; "Menuet in E Flat," Mozart "Canzonetta," Mendelssohn quartet, pallophotone address by Jackie Coogan.

DRAGS WIFE IN SLEIGH

Horse Helpless, Man Hitched Himself to Sleigh and Pulled Sick Wife to Hospital

NORTH ADAMS, March 23—When his horse was unable to plough through the high drifts of Florida Mountain yesterday morning, LeRoy Shippe, a stalwart farmer living in the Mohawk Trail section, hitched himself to the sleigh and dragged his sick wife eight miles to a hospital in this city.

The trip down the mountain road was made in semi-darkness and under extreme difficulty, and required three hours.

Shippe was practically exhausted when he reached the city limits, and he and his wife were taken to the hospital in an automobile.

Shortly after Mrs. Shippe arrived at the hospital a boy was born.

AMUSEMENT NOTES

THE STRAND

Who is responsible for the wildness of youth? Some point to the forgiving and easy parent, others point to the 20th century methods of living, and still others point to youth itself. If you would know then see "Wildness of Youth" as it is shown on the silver screen at the Strand during the week-end. A big cast portrays it. The second feature presents Charles (Buck) Jones in his newest western thriller, "Bells of San Juan." The other features, including a comedy and weekly make up a mighty good bill.

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

Jack Holt's latest Paramount photoplay, "Nobody's Money," now playing at the Merrimack Square theatre is a worth-while comedy filled with laughter and thrills. Wanda Hawley is the leading woman, heading a fine supporting cast. The other feature of the current program is "Drums of Fate," starring pretty Mary Miles Minter in one of the most appealing attractions of her career.

LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

Not in many moons have theatre audiences appeared as enthusiastic as they have been at the performances of "The Bad Man," at the Lowell Opera house this week. The famous comedy, the plot of which is woven around life in the big out-of-doors of the Mexican border, was first made famous by Holbrook Blynn in New York, and since then it has become known and liked all over the country. The hero of the play is that genial ruffian, Pancho Lopez, played by Richard Morgan this week in a masterly manner. The local patrons have applauded the artistry of Mr. Morgan's performance in hearty fashion, for he has perfected the difficult knack of interpreting the subtle character of the bad man "who has a wink in his eye."

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

"That Irishman," who is appearing at the B. F. Keith theatre this week, is none other than Tom Kelly, prince of story tellers, and collector of the humorosities of life. Than Kelly there is no better known maker of fun on the vaudeville stage. Rose & Moon, dancers, are also listed for the week's entertainment, and praise of them is very general. Young, good to look upon, accomplished and novel in what they give, they supply one of the best acts of its general nature seen during the entire season, thus far. An olden time skit, but, for entertainment, right with the more modern type, is "Ahead of the Times," with Thomas J. Ryan specially featured in it. Ryan is a good comedian and a splendid dancer. Among the other good things on the bill are: Patrice & Sullivan, musicians; Maker & Eldridge, comedians, Al Libby, cyclist, and the latest Chaplin picture, "The Pilgrim."

STOPPED RUNAWAY HORSE

Through the quick work of Officer Thomas H. Maroney, a runaway horse was stopped about 9 o'clock last night as it was heading for Central bridge at a rapid clip. The horse was driven to the police station and later delivered to the owner.

GOVERNOR SIGNS BILL

A bill amending the law relative to the raising of money by the Dracut water supply district, recently passed by the legislature, has been signed by the governor. The bill empowers the district to raise by taxation annually a sum with which the income derived from the sale of water and the payments from the town of Dracut for hydrant service is sufficient to pay the annual current expenses instead of a sum not exceeding $2,000 as heretofore. The bill was introduced at the legislature on petition of Walter F. Garland.

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REPORTS ARE TERMED BOOTLEG PROPAGANDA

NEW YORK, March 23.—E. C. Yellowley, acting state prohibition director, again took issue today with United States coast guard officials and other marine observers, who have reported widespread rum running activities along the Atlantic coast. He asserted that the reported spring drive of liquor smugglers was all a myth put out by bootleggers for "propaganda" purposes.

He also took issue with R. Q. Herrick, his zone enforcement chief, who had told the Associated Press the state prohibition enforcement officers were "practically helpless" and were relying on customs and coast guard officials to put an end to marine rum running.

Asked as to the truth of reports that the government was providing six tugs and a mosquito fleet to operate against runners along the coast, Mr. Yellowley said:

"We have not even asked the government for more ships to combat the activities of the so-called rum armada. I can get along very well with what I have at my disposal now."

COURT ENJOINS GARMENT PICKETS

NEW YORK, March 23.—A sequel to recent disturbances in the garment trades came up yesterday in the supreme court, when Justice Erlanger issued an order restraining officials and agents of the American Cloak and Suit Manufacturers association from picketing or interfering with the contract work of R. Sadowsky, Inc., manufacturers of cloaks and suits, 1372 Broadway.

Granting the motion for an injunction Justice Erlanger said:

"It will add nothing to the literature of the law by reciting in detail the acts of violence charged; the forcing of breaches of contract through intimidation; the personal injuries inflicted upon innocent citizens, who in the pursuit of their daily toil seek to make a living for their families. Nor will it add anything by detailing the wholesale denials contained in the opposing affidavits. It may be, however, assumed without fear of successful contradiction that the personal violence which resulted in the injuries set forth are not of divine origin.

"It seems incredible that in free America such things as are complained of can occur with such frequency, with apparently no protection except such as may be obtained in a court of equity."

Conference at Fall River

(Continued)

meeting Monday night Mr. McMahon announced that he would withhold the strike call pending the result of today's conference. He charged that the textile council was in collusion with the manufacturers to bring about a wage increase probably 12½ per cent., which might avert a strike in Fall River.

More Wage Advances

BOSTON, March 23.——Advances in wages of employes of New England woolen mills have been the order of the day since the announcement on Wednesday by the American Woolen company, that the pay of its operatives was to be increased 12½ per cent. on April 30. In the last two days, announcements of increases have been forthcoming from Massachusetts, Maine, New Hampshire, Rhode Island and Connecticut.

Among the mills to follow the lead of American Woolen have been the M. T. Stevens & Sons Co., operating mills at North Andover, Andover, Haverhill, Franklin, N. H., and Peacedale, R. I., the Goodall mills at Sanford, Me., Kennebunk, Me., and Waterboro, Me.; the Guerin Mills, Inc., and five smaller woolen mills at Woonsocket, R. I., the Windham Manufacturing Co., at South Windham, Me., and the Assawago Woolen Co., mills at Danielson, Conn.

383 Cotton Mills in North Carolina

RALEIGH, N. C., March 23.—North Carolina has more textile mills than any state in the Union, according to M. L. Shipman, state commissioner of labor, who announced today that latest figures, showing 383 cotton mills in the state, gave it a rank above Massachusetts.

Massachusetts, however, still holds first place in total value of textile products manufactured, he said, with North Carolina a close second.

Increase Announced

PITTSFIELD, March 23.—All Berkshire county woolen manufacturers have decided to increase the wages of workers 12½ per cent, beginning April 30. Twenty-two hundred hands will received the advance.

To Grant Increase

PROVIDENCE, R. I., March 23.—Three woolen and worsted plants in this city made it known today that they would follow the American Woolen Co., in granting a raise in wages of about 12½ per cent., to take effect April 30. Those granting the increase were the Colwell, the Crown and the Snowdon plants, all independents, employing about 700. Several others in the Olneyville textile center of this city stated that they would very likely fall in line within a few days.

12½ Per Cent Increase

METHUEN, March 23.—The Bolton Worsted mills, employing about 100 today announced a 12½ per cent wage increase to be effective April 30.

The International Worsted Co. will also increase the wages of its 250 employes 12½ per cent April 30, according to notices posted in the mill this afternoon.

Readjustment of Wages

NORTH ANDOVER, March 23.—The Davis & Furber Machine Co., today announced that a readjustment of wages would be made April 30. The company employs 800 and makes mill machinery.

QUESTION STATUS OF ADOPTED DAUGHTER

NEW YORK, March 23—Brothers and sisters of the late Peter Cooper Hewitt, inventor, today submitted to the appellate division supreme court, papers questioning the legal status of his adopted daughter, Ann Cooper Hewitt, who was bequeathed, with Mrs. Hewitt, an equal share in his residuary estate.

PAINFULLY INJURED

Edward Beauregard, of 25 Apple street, employed at the plant of Pratt & Forrest in Dutton street, was painfully injured while at his work this forenoon, when he was struck in the face by a moulder blade. He sustained four deep cuts and it is also feared his cheek bone was fractured. The ambulance was called, but the injured man refused to be taken to the hospital and was removed to his home in an automobile.

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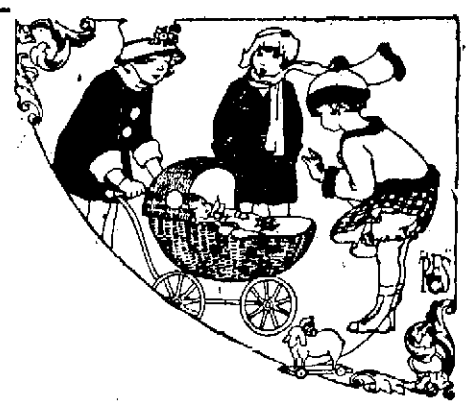

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UNCONDITIONAL EVACUATION

Only Condition Upon Which Discussion to End Ruhr Conflict Can Proceed

Chancellor Cuno Reiterates German Government's Position

MUNICH, March 23.—(By the Associated Press) Unconditional evacuation of the Ruhr was designated by Chancellor Cuno last night as the fundamental plemise from which any discussion aiming to end the present conflict must proceed.

In a long speech the chancellor reiterated the government's position, asserting that it had not authorized mediation by any third party but that on the other hand it had received numerous "feelers" from unauthorized quarters. He asserted that these proposals constituted "a violation of German honor or common-sense."

Referring to the recent Brussels conference between Premiers Poincare and Theunis, Herr Cuno expressed the opinion that these conversations suggested no progress towards a solution of the Ruhr question. The official communique issued after the conference, failed, in the chancellor's opinion, to dissipate the suspicion that France had not abandoned her aspiration to annex territory.

More recent readings of the Brussels discussions, Herr Cuno asserted, have impressed German officials with the thought that they aimed at a complete overthrow of the Versailles treaty.

FRENCH SEIZE GERMAN PLANT

LONDON, March 23.—The Duesseldorf correspondent of the Times learns that the French have confiscated the entire Deutsche Werk at Siegburg.

The plant, which was formerly a government arsenal, is now operated by a steel company which alleges that the ordinance under which the seizure was made, applies only to government property.

Credits Granted Coal Syndicate

ESSEN, March 23.—(By the Associated Press) A credit of 400,000,000,000 marks has been granted the German coal sindycate by the Berlin government to aid in the continuance of the passive resistance in the Ruhr, according to a French announcement today.

Additional credits, running into hundreds of billions, likewise have been arranged by the central government for the Ruhr industrialists generally, it was asserted.

162 Blast Furnaces Shut Down

PARIS, March 23. (By the Associated Press).—Statistics made available by the ministry of public works show that 162 of the 219 blast furnaces in France have shut down.

Nearly 100 of these furnaces are idle for other reasons than the damage done in the war. Most of them lack coke, of which France normally consumed 1,100,000 tons monthly. A large proportion of this fuel came from the Ruhr.

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If your design is considered the best and to make would not cost more than $20, the judges will declare you the winner and a $20 hat is your prize.

RULES OF THE CONTEST

The above coupon will appear daily in The Sun during the contest and ending tomorrow, March 24. Cut out the coupon and fill it in with a description of your hat. A coupon must accompany each design. Contestants can send in as many designs as they please. Employes of The Sun or members of their families are not eligible as contestants.

Mail or send in your design and brief description. Address Polly Proctor Millinery Contest, Sun office.

PLAY BALL

The opening of the ante-season Braves-Dodger series at Clearwater, Fla., was given big time trimmings. Here is Judge Landis pitching the first ball.

THE POLICE ARE STILL CONFISCATING STILLS

A 75-gallon still, warm from recent operation, 40 gallons of alleged moonshine and 20 barrels of mash were confiscated by Sergt. Winn and Officers Cooney and Moran of the local liquor squad, assisted by Federal Officers Hall said Sullivan, in a raid conducted by them at 128 Fayette street last night.

The tenement in which the illicit goods were found was unoccupied, save for the plant which extended through every room. The mash, instead of the usual grain variety, consisted of swill, mostly bread, potato peelings and apples. No arrests were made.

Wild Scene in French Chamber

Continued

heard M. Berthon's accusation, jumped to their feet, all with the exception of the communists and a few of the radicals, cheering Poincare madly.

Deputy Landry, who was presiding, put on his hat as a signal that the session was adjourned, but no one seemed to pay any attention to him.

New Outbreak

After the first uproar had spent itself, the session was adjourned, but pandemonium broke loose again when the chamber reconvened a quarter of an hour later.

The scene followed a demand by Deputy Berthon for immediate discussion of the government's request for supplemental credits for the Ruhr occupation. The premier said he would give the finance commission next week the information it had askot and that the chamber then could fix a date for discussion.

M. Berthon characterized this answer as "equivocal"—and M. Poincare, facing the Communists Berthon and Vaillant-Couturier, retorted:

"If I were as sure of your wisdom and prudence as I am of that of the majority of the chamber, I would ask immediate discussion."

The premier scathingly condemned the communists for their attitude toward the French action in the Ruhr. Then, addressing Vaillant-Couturier, he said:

"You will give an account before the bar of justice for your abominable articles."

GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP FINALS

BELLEAIR HEIGHTS, Fla., March 23.—R. A. Stranahan of Toledo, today faced George E. Morse of Rutland, Vt., in the Belleair amateur golf championship finals. Both men won out yesterday in the semi-finals by brilliant play. Stranahan turned in one of the best rounds of the week with a 76 in his match against G. A. Robert of Arcola. Morse fought to a close finish with Hugh Halsell of Dallas, Tex., former senior champion.

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LEW PALUSO WINS OVER NEWPORT JOHNNY BROWN IN GREAT BOUT

Lowell Fans Deeply Impressed With Sensational Work of Columbia Student-Boxer—Looks Like a Coming Champion—Brown Put Up Game Battle—McDonna Scores Another Knockout

Lowell boxing fans last evening were privileged to witness one of the most promising boxers in the country, when the sensational Lew Paluso, formerly of Salt Lake City, but now a student at Columbia university, came here to meet and defeat Newport Johnny Brown in the main event of the Moody club show at the Crescent rink.

Paluso had been heralded as a coming champion, as a wonderful two-fisted fighters, a clever boxer and one of the most satisfactory performers to break into the game in recent years. And he fulfilled every prediction to the complete satisfaction of a crowd of more than 1000.

Paluso proved a revelation. He outboxed, outfought, out-generaled, and outclassed the game willing and hard hitting Brown and gave those at the ringside about the greatest exhibition of all round skill and effectiveness seen here in many, many days.

Brown entered the ring at a weight disadvantage. He tipped the beam at 129, while Paluso weighed in at 133. The four pounds difference meant a lot as the bout progressed. Paluso ever alive to seize every opening, every advantage, utilized his greater weight in the clinches, and this fact coupled with his greater science and knowledge of the game, proved disastrous to Brown.

And while none in the big hall disputed the justice of the award to Paluso all agreed that Brown put up one of the gamest fights of his career. Though sent back time, and again by a vicious blow from the fast hitting Paluso, the Newport boy was ever dangerous, and he always returned for more.

Paluso jabbed and hooked with his left with perfection and despatch. He crossed with his right in masterly fashion. He ducked and side-stepped like a champion, he took all that Brown had, and shook the blows off like a duck sheds water. He caught Brown coming into every exchange, and countered with well placed and forceful punches to head and body. He was as cool as the proverbial cucumber, and had a defense for every maneuver of the earnest, aggressive and hard working Brown.

Seldom, if ever, did a pair of battlers get down to furious action so quickly as did Paluso and Brown. At the tap of the first gong Paluso shot in his left to the face and Brown retaliated with a vicious swing to the head that missed the objective by the narrowest of margins. Paluso then opened up a piston-rod attack that had Brown bewildered, but ever ready to swing his wicked right for a trip to slumberland. Brown did connect as the bout wore on but similar blows that have dropped others to the canvas failed to upset the classy Paluso. Yet the student-boxer respected his opponent and while Brown worked him into several tight places and began to rip them in Paluso never lost his head and invariably had a defense to offset the attack.

The fight went over the distance, ten rounds with sensational work in every session. In the closing rounds Brown suffered from the battering he sustained on the head, particularly around the eyes, and he had difficulty locating the elusive Paluso. Yet he stayed and fought and his gameness and his stirk-to-a-tiveness brought him a tremendous ovation at the close. Paluso left the ring amind a demonstration the like of which has been seldom seen or heard here. It was a great bout, with honors enough for both of the battlers.

The Paluso-Brown bout topped off a fine card, one of the best in months. In the semi-final Nick McDonna added Jimmy Crilley to his long list of kayo victims. McDonna has had 17 fights since entering the game, 14 of which he has won by the knock-out route. After two fairly fast rounds McDonna caught Crilley on the jaw in the third and the Lawrence boy crumpled up and went down. As he did the referee pointed to McDonna. It was short and sweet, for all but the recipient of the sleep-producer.

In the first prelim Johnny McBride of Lawrence outpointed Harry Loring of Charlestown in six peppery rounds. In the other six rounder Arthur Gosselin of Lawrence won over Johnny Ferris, also of Lawrence in a lively number that went the distance.

Jack Cooper, who refereed all the bouts, handled them in a most satisfactory manner. Frank Murphy of Lowell and John McDougall of Haverhill were the judges.

Walker Retains Title

NEWARK, N. J., March 23—Mickey Walker retained his title of world's welterweight champion at the end of a 12-round no-decision bout with Pete Latzo of Scranton last night. The champion received the unanimous verdict of newspapermen at the ringside.

The champion was in command all the way, and although Latzo fought strenuously he was kept mostly on the defensive, taking a severe body beating. At the end of the bout the challenger's right side was a mass of red welts.

With a left hook to the jaw, Walker sent the Scranton man to the floor in the fourth round and in the ninth round he landed a right hook to the jaw that sent the challenger reeling across the ring where he clinched and recovered.

DeSalvo Gets Award

QUINCY, March 23—Paul DeSalvo, Quincy, won a decision over Joe Pangrazo, West Quincy, in the 10-round feature bout of the Granite A. C. show at Music Hall last night.

Midget Smith Wins

ST. LOUIS, March 23—"Midget" Smith of New York, bantamweight, won the newspaper decision over "Poo Woo" Kaiser of St. Louis, in a fast 10-round boxing bout last night. Sport writers credited Smith with winning five rounds, Kaiser two and judged the other three even.

THIRD GAME OF POLO SERIES

With the Score One to One Worcester and Lowell Clash Here Tonight

Great Interest in Series to Determine Championship of National Polo League

With each team having a victory to its credit the Lowell and Worcester polo clubs will meet at the Crescent rink tonight in the third game of their series to determine the championship of the National roller polo league.

Worcester won the first game a week ago tonight by staging a great rally in the third period and forcing the game into overtime. Lowell came back strong last Tuesday night, and won out after a fast and well played game by the score of 9 to 5.

The rival teams realize the importance of tonight's clash as the winner will have the big advantage of needing but one more victory to land the series and the pennant.

The series to date has been a thriller and large crowds have attended the games. The spectacular playing of the Lowell team, with Williams and Hart showing wonderful combination endeavor on the rush line, Harkins playing remarkably at center, Morrison plugging along consistently and effectively at back and Jelte going like a house afire in goal, has given Lowell fans confidence in the outcome of the titular classic.

Worcester has a strong team, made stronger in the defensive by the acquisition of the veteran Barney Doherty at halfback in place of Murrhead. Fred Jean, the "Hercules of polo" is travelling as of old in both the defensive and offensive departments. His hard and accurate driving has been a big factor in the two games already played. Steve Pierce at second rush is one of the best in the business. He finished the season right behind Duggan in goals scored, both Duggan and Pierce being within a few of the leader, Kid Williams. Earl Pierce, brother of Steve, is a fast and earnest worker. He teams up well with his "big brother" and also fits in perfectly in taking passes from Jean. Conley at goal is one of the best. His work during the regular season was most consistent and he finished the schedule tied with Blount for the lead.

Jack Finnell, who has given complete satisfaction as referee of this series, will again be in charge tonight. He knows the game thoroughly, having played it many years. He's a fair and impartial official, and players respect him and his rulings. When necessary to take care of himself in fistic combat he is there also. For substantiation ask Mossie Conley he knows.

Tonight's game will start at 8.30.

SPRING AGAIN WITH US

Amateur Baseball Teams Ready for the Season—Emeralds Organize

The Emerald Seconds, who set up such a splendid record on the amateur diamond last season, have re-organized and they plan to pry the lid off tomorrow afternoon, weather permitting.

The Emeralds last season sent a number of reports, challenges, etc., to The Sun, all of which, naturally, were printed. In appreciation of the publicity thus given the team, the manager sends along the following letter:

31 Wiggin st., March 20, '23.
The Lowell Sun,
Sporting editor.

Dear editor:—After having been advertised and backed by the Lowell Sun with such great success in the past two years, the Emerald Seconds desire to have the backing of your paper for at least another baseball year. We are proud of the fact that it was mainly through the efforts of The Sun, in getting us games, printing our reports acceptances challenges, etc., that we won the city championship in our class, the past two seasons.

We are glad to have The Sun as our chief source of advertising because it is the most read sporting paper in the city. The popularity of The Sun's sporting pages is due chiefly to the fact that the columns are always open to all kinds of sports. Among these sports baseball is the leader. That is why we, and many other teams of the city, are so glad to see that every day during the baseball season The Sun has a big part of the sporting pages put aside for amateur baseball.

With due respect to the fact that the baseball season does not open until a month from today and that, maybe, we are rushing the appearance of the amateur baseball column before time, we would like to have you print the following in The Sun at your earliest convenience:

Providing that the grounds are as favorable as they have been for the past week or so and also providing that the weather permits, the Emerald Seconds will open the amateur baseball season in Lowell Saturday afternoon at Emerald Park at 2 o'clock. The Emeralds will have as opponents the Buffaloes for their first game of the season. The Buffaloes having looked so much during the winter months about what they would do to the attempt of the Emeralds to make it three consecutive championship seasons, the Seconds decided to give that team a chance to prove their threats the first game that they played. The teams will play for $5 a side. The umpire will be chosen on the grounds.

Thanking you in advance I remain,
Yours truly,
C. GAUTHIER,
Manager of Emeralds.

The Pawtucket Stars have organized for the 1923 baseball season and are out to take on all comers. The team will be a member of the junior twilight league and would like a game or two with any other 17-year-old team in the city before the league opens. The team will consist of the following players: G. Walker, Ral. Cote, W. Bissonette, H. Moisan, A. Robey, R. Tyrell, Ral. Nichols, W. Robarge, Leo Cote, Austin Brosman, F. Gilbeault. Any other players who would like to join communicate with Ray Cote, manager, or G. Walker, Capt. Answer through this paper.

CRIQUI DUE TO ARRIVE TOMORROW

NEW YORK, March 23—The advent from France tomorrow night of Eugene Criqui, European featherweight champion, was expected to clear up the uncertainty over the prospect of his meeting with Johnny Kilbane of Cleveland, the world's champion outside New York state, which promoter Tom O'Rourke has insisted is definitely arranged for the Polo Grounds June 2. Criqui is a passenger on the incoming Paris.

Officials of the state boxing commission were quoted today as declaring that they know nothing of such a bout and Chairman William Muldoon hinted that he would not permit it in this state, since Kilbane is under suspension here and deprived of his title for refusing to accept the challenge of Johnny Dundee, of New York, last summer.

LEADING BASKETBALL SCORER

HANOVER, N. H., March 23.—Captain Thomas Cullen, Jr., of the Dartmouth basketball team led the team in individual scoring the season although he was unable to play after his injury in the game with University of Pennsylvania on Feb. 24. Figures announced yesterday showed that he scored 292 points in 16 games and was particularly successful in foul goal shooting, netting 212 out of 286 free throws.

Cullen, who is a son of Congressman Cullen of Brooklyn, N. Y., left the hospital yesterday.

INTERCOLLEGIATE MEET

PRINCETON, N. J., March 23—Plans for the individual championship events of the 15th annual intercollegiate swimming meet here tonight and tomorrow were completed today and the entries announced. Seventeen colleges have entered 119 men in the eight events.

Winners will be awarded championship medals by the Intercollegiate Swimming association which is sponsoring the events. The colleges that will participate in the meet are Yale, Brown, Rutgers, Princeton, Navy, Columbia, College of City of New York, Stevens, Springfield, Pennsylvania, Amherst, Williams, Swarthmore, Michigan, Wisconsin, Minnesota and Northwestern.

BASKETBALL TONIGHT

The St. Anne's and St. John's basketball teams will engage in the second game of their series in St. Anne's parish house tonight. Both teams are in good trim for the battle and a close contest is expected. The Varnum Independents and a quintet from the Immanuel Baptist church will play a preliminary game.

POLO—TONIGHT
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NEW WORLD'S RECORDS

Indoor Track and Field Season Ends With 18 New Marks on the Books

NEW YORK, March 23—(By the Associated Press) The indoor track and field season in the east, viewed by experts as the greatest in athletic history, has come to a close with 18 new records on the books, while numerous others have been equalled.

Standing out in brilliant relief, is the record of Jole W. Ray, who established six new world's marks for distances varying from one and a half miles to 5000 metres and aided in the breaking of a seventh by an Illinois A. C. relay team.

The sensational Chicagoan's performances in the east during the past few months are without a parallel in athletic annals, and stamp him among the greatest American distance runners of all time.

Among others Ray vanquished Willie Ritola, Finnish-American distance star, in the Wilco race and out of this meeting grew one of the keenest rivalries of the season. Ray finished with a decisive edge on his rival, winning three out of five races, one of which went to Ritola as the result of a handicap.

The only real defeat Ray sustained was in a three mile race against Willie Ritola, Finnish-American distance star, who won by a scant few feet and setting a world's record of 14.15 4-5 at the Knights of Columbus meet here February 23. A week later Ray decisively defeated Ritola over a 5000 metre course in the world's record time of 14.54, eclipsing the mark of 15.01 1-5 which the Finn had established but two weeks previously.

The two mile record established by Ray and the three mile mark set by Ritola stood out as the most brilliant performances by these two stars.

Loren Murchison's feat in lowering to 6 1-5 seconds the record for the 60 yard dash, which stood at 6 2-5 seconds since 1882, when it was established by L. E. Myers, ranked among the most sensational performances of the season. H. B. Leaver, Penn river, toppled another sprint record which had stood for 20 years when he dashed 70 yards in 7 1-10 seconds at the intercollegiate championship meet, slicing a tenth of a second from the mark first set by W. A. Schick in 1903.

Richmond W. Landon, of the New York A. C. and Leroy Brown, Dartmouth captain and former record holder, shared honors in the high jump when both leaped to a new mark of 6 feet, 5¼ inches, at the Millrose meet.

James J. Connolly, crack Georgetown runner, gained credit for his first world's record when he stepped two thirds of a mile in 2.43 3-5 at the Millrose meet.

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Great Bowl Being Erected at Cost of $2,500,000 Will Seat 75,000 Persons

Giants' Grounds Also Being Enlarged—When Finished Will Seat 54,500

NEW YORK, March 23—Spring—officially here now—reached the new Yankee stadium today.

While workers continued to put the stadium in condition for the opening game of the season between the American league champions and the Boston Red Sox on April 18, a crew of snow shovelers scraped away the last vestige of winter from the shady nooks of the $2,500,000 structure.

Construction is in its last stages. The last section of the huge grandstand is being finished, and with the expensive bleachers ready for occupancy 75,000 persons can be seated in the great bowl.

When remodeling of the Polo Grounds, home of the New York Giants, is completed, it will be the only baseball field in the country in which a batter can hit a ball into any of the three outfields and make a home run without the ball going into the stands, providing the ball is fielded normally.

This statement was made today by Charles A. Stoneham, president of the Giants. Extension of the seating capacity of the grounds, now about 46,000, will not be finished when the season opens, but about 46,000 will be accommodated the first day. Mr. Stoneham said the final capacity of 54,500 will be available toward the end of June.

"Babe" Makes Homer

NEW YORK, March 23.—Their morale stiffened by the discipline dealt out to erring teammates, the New York Giants fatigued themselves yesterday, beating the San Antonia Bears in an exhibition game, 18 to 5, at San Antonio. The Yankees at New Orleans divided into two teams, the "Rookies" losing 7 to 3, despite a helpful home run by Babe Ruth.

The Brooklyn Superbas won their fifth consecutive game over a rival major league club yesterday, defeating the Washington Senators, 9 to 4.

Boston Teams Busy

BOSTON, March 23.—The bad weather which has hampered the Red Sox in their spring training at Hot Springs, Ark., cleared away yesterday and the squad was put through its paces. Shauno Collins, veteran outfielder, arrived at camp yesterday. Today Manager Frank Chance planned to prepare for a game on Saturday with the Pittsburgh Pirates.

At their St. Petersburgh, Fla., training camp the Braves today were considering ways and means of preventing a repetition of the disaster of yesterday when the St. Louis Cardinals triumphed over them, 8 to 1. Joe Oeschger's pitching kept the Cardinals to one run in the first five innings, but Tim McNamara, one of the best of the young Brave hurlers, was pounced upon for seven runs in the seventh inning.

Guisto Pulls "Boner"

CLEVELAND, March 23—The failure of Louis Guisto, Stuffy McInnis' successor on the Cleveland baseball club, to touch first base beat him out of a home run and was the probable reason for the Indians' defeat by the Cincinnati Reds at Orlando, Fla., yesterday, by a score of 4 to 3. Had Guisto not missed the bag by a few inches, the score would have been 5 to 4 in favor of Cleveland, as Wamby was on second at the time.

Manager McKechnie Pleased

PITTSBURGH, March 23—Manager McKechnie of the Pittsburgh Nationals today expressed satisfaction over the showing made by his players in the first of the intra-club practice games yesterday in which the regulars defeated the Yannigans, 8 to 4.

Home runs by Russell and Tierney were batting features of the game.

DUGGAN LEADS WHALERS TO VICTORY

ROCKLAND, Me., March 23—Flashy work by Duggan, who scored four successive goals in the last period last night, brought victory to the New Bedford Whalers in the second game the the post season series. The summary:

NEW BEDFORD		ROCKLAND
Duggan, lr		lr, St. Aubin
Wiley, rr		rr, Therrien
Dufresne, c		c, Bouchard
Gardner, hb		hb, Cusick
Welch, g		g, Purcell

Rushes: Duggan 9, St. Aubin 6. Stops: Welch 53, Purcell 56. Goals: Duggan 7, Bouchard 2, Therrien 2, St. St. Aubin 1. Score, New Bedford 7, Rockland 1. Referee, Winslow. Timer, Davies.

50 WRESTLING STARS COMPETE

ITHACA, N. Y., March 23.—More than 50 wrestling stars, representing seven eastern universities and colleges, were here today for the 17th annual championships of the intercollegiate wrestling association under the auspices of Cornell university. Preliminary and semi-final rounds were scheduled today and final matches tomorrow.

Cornell, Penn State, Columbia, Yale, Princeton, Lehigh and Pennsylvania were the entries.

GYMNASTS MEET

ANNAPOLIS, Md., March 23—One of the largest fields to enter an intercollegiate gymnastic meet will compete tonight at the United States naval academy, when gymnasts from 10 colleges will battle for the team and individual honors.

100 TO 6 SHOT WINS

Sergt. Murphy Lands Grand National Steeplechase Handicap at Liverpool

LIVERPOOL, March 23. (By the Associated Press.)—Sergt. Murphy, by Gen. Symons, out of Rose Graft, owned by Stephen Sanford, of New York, won the Grand National Steeplechase handicap, valued at approximately 10,000 pounds, run over a course of about four and one-half miles at Aintree today.

Sir Malcolm McAlpine's Shaun Spadah was second, and Major Dewhurst's Conjurer II. was third. Twenty-eight horses ran.

Sergt. Murphy captured this blue ribbon event of the English chasing season by three lengths after a fine race. Six lengths separated Shaun Spadah and Conjurer II. Only four other horses finished, and the other three American entries, J. E. Widener's Duettesto, Foxhall Keene's Masterful and A. S. Cochran's Libretto, were not among them.

The odds against Sergt. Murphy were 100 to 6. The betting on Shaun Spadah was 20 to 1, against and on Conjurer II. 100 to 6 against.

K. OF C. PLANS TWILIGHT BASEBALL TEAM

At the regular meeting of the local council of the Knights of Columbus last night, a committee of five was appointed by Grand Knight Hart to look into the advisability of forming a baseball team to participate in Twilight league games this coming season. This committee consists of Joseph M. Duffy, Michael J. Maloney, John H. Condon, John J. Devlin and Thomas J. Fitzgerald.

The dramatic club committee submitted its report stating that it was intended to stage a comedy drama in the near future. A meeting of the committee will be held in the rooms next Sunday afternoon when a call for candidates to make up the cast will be issued. Thomas J. Beane, William F. Thornton and Daniel S. O'Brien will coach the players.

It was announced that the annual banquet of the state council will be held at the Copley Square hotel, Boston, April 19. Several of the local council officers are planning to attend.

A committee of 10 was appointed to arrange for an entertainment on Patriots eve, April 18. This committee is composed of John V. Donoghue, Patrick J. Nevins, Arthur Rogers, William Keenan, Joseph McMahon, Charles J. Landers, William McGlue, Henry F. Doran, Fred Enwright and D. S. O'Brien.

An Easter Monday dancing party will be held in the assembly hall of the council on April 2. The following will be in charge: Floor director, John M. Gallagher; assistant floor directors, Eugene Fontaine and Philip J. Breen; chief aid, Patrick J. Nevins.

BROWN COLLEGE WINS WRESTLING HONORS

BOSTON, March 23.—The Brown wrestling team took the New England intercollegiate title last night at Technology, taking the crowns in three classes, while Tech followed with a pair of champions, and Harvard and Dartmouth placed one each. The scores were: Brown 18, Tech 13, Harvard 11 and Dartmouth 8.

Harry Bruner of Tech took the opening bout, gaining a fall in the 115 class over Milton Krook of Harvard, thereby retaining his intercollegiate title for the class. In the second series, Krook was runner up, defeating Brown of Dartmouth.

In the 125 class, Brightman of Brown defeated Smith of Harvard, and Smith defeated Norwood of Tech for second.

Capt. Freedman of Harvard took the title in the 135-pound class after a hard bout with Stanley Dickinson of Brown, in which the new champ was forced hard. Dickinson proved his right to the title of runner up by taking a decision from Henretta of Dartmouth in another hard fought battle.

The 145-pound class found Capt. Tom Dustin of Brown, holder of last year's intercollegiate title in the 135-pound class, taking the 145-pound title in a bout with Korelitz of Harvard. Dustin fought hard to get a fall, but Korelitz was a slicker and the Brown champ had to be satisfied with a referee's decision. Korelitz was beaten in the runner-up series by Borglun of Dartmouth after a hard close bout in which both had advantages for seconds at a time.

Capt. Rockwell Hereford of Tech, new champ in the 158-pound class, took the fastest fall of the evening from Baumann of Dartmouth, when he threw his man with a half scissors and body hold in less than 4m. At the start of the bout, honors seemed about even, but Hereford was able to get his man down early, and was not in danger afterwards.

In the 175-pound class, Bob Spellman of Brown was the victor over Coles of Harvard by a fall in 9m, after one of the best bouts for the meet. Cole was also defeated by Walt Kennett of Tech in the extra bouts for the runner-up points.

Oberlander of Dartmouth, who took the unlimited title by a decision over Hoag of Harvard, was forced into an overtime period for his title, and after two extra periods, had time advantage of 3 minutes. Hoag then took the runner-up position from Parkman Sayward of Brown in a bout that was either man's win until the end.

Giovanni," "La ci darem la Mano,"

TRACK SUITS TOO ABBREVIATED

QUITMAN, Miss., March 23—Clark county officials face the task of an inquiry to determine the damaging effect of men's athletic unions on public morals.

The county grand jury, in its final report, urged that the current models in track suits, basketball outfits and swimming trunks were too abbreviated, suggesting "efforts to establish more modest uniforms" in the county high schools.

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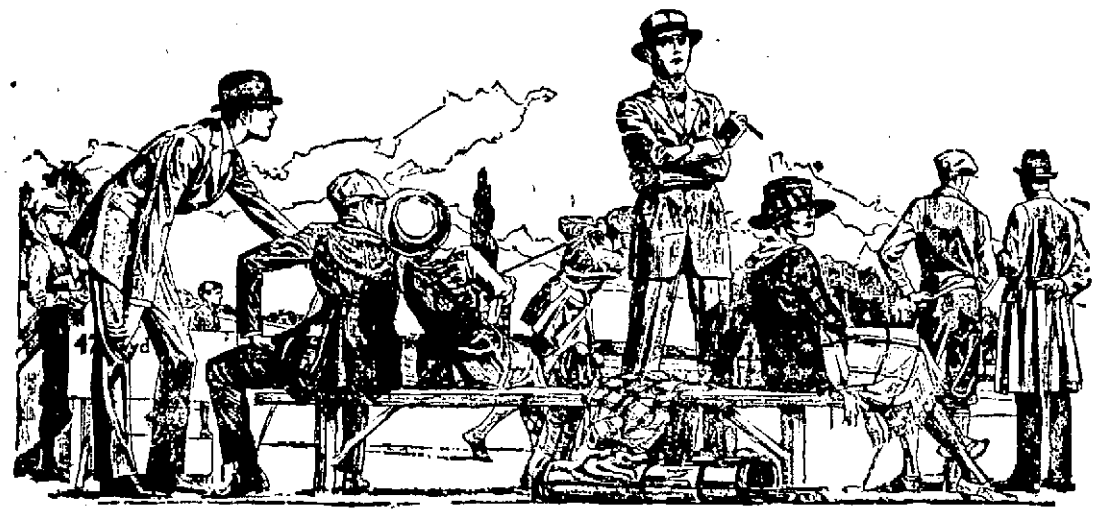

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FOR NATIONAL AMATEUR HOCKEY CHAMPIONSHIP

BOSTON, March 23—The series for the national amateur hockey championship today stood Boston two games won, St. Paul one, toward three victories necessary to win the title.

The next game is set for tomorrow night at the Boston Arena.

Hockey enthusiasts who packed the Arena to the girders last night were still talking today of the way the westerners with little more than a minute to play whipped the puck into the Hub goal twice within three seconds to batter the single goal by which Boston had apparently gained the championship. Goheen, whose rough play previously had brought him several penalties and an eye cut covered by a bandage, was the prime factor in each of the St. Paul goals.

The teams learned with satisfaction when they came to the ice for practice today that the granites of Toronto, winners of the Allan cup, a significant of the Canadian championship, had agreed to meet with American winners for the international title.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts:— Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Henry C. Hutchinson, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Arthur D. Colby, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the tenth day of April A. D., 1923, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, George F. Lawton, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-second day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three. F. M. TETY, Register.

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M'TIGUE TO FIGHT GEORGES CARPENTIER

DUBLIN, March 23—(By the Associated Press) Mike McTigue told the correspondent late last evening that he had accepted an offer to fight Georges Carpentier, but that it had not been decided whether the match would be staged in the United States or in Ireland.

Referring to his recent bout with Battling Siki, McTigue said:

"My critics do not realize that I was giving away nearly 28 pounds in weight to Siki. Neither do they sufficiently consider the tremendous disadvantage under which I labored as a result of the cut over my eye in the 11th round, and the breaking of my right thumb in the thirteenth round. If it had not been for the broken thumb there would have been no need for the referee to award the decision. You must remember that I am not a fighter. I am a professional boxer, and prize fighting is not allowed in the United States."

WOMEN GOLFERS COMPETE

NEW HAVEN, Conn., March 23—The annual tournament of the Connecticut Women's Golf association will be contested on the course of the New Haven Country club on June 12 to 15, inclusive, it was announced today. Miss Georgianna Bishop of Bridgeport, present state champion, will defend the title.

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Witness Says Purnell Hid Women When He Feared Visit of Authorities

Put Men's Clothes in Girls' Rooms to Give Impression They Had Husbands

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., March 22.—(By the Associated Press) How Benjamin Purnell, head of the Israelite House of David colony at Benton Harbor, is alleged to have herded 40 girls in Shiloh, his home, into the attic of the residence when he feared a visit by federal investigators, was revealed in federal court here today during trial of the suit against the colony instigated by John and Margaret Hansell.

The testimony was given by Mrs. Hazel Wuerth, former high priestess and preacher in the cult, who is a witness for the plaintiffs.

"Benjamin told the girls in Shiloh that there was to be a special investigation and that officers were coming to make medical examinations of us," Mrs. Wuerth testified. "He put a coat, a pair of men's trousers and a vest in the room of each girl to give the impression that we had husbands living with us.

"Mary, the wife of Purnell, gathered the girls whom Benjamin feared would talk and hid them in the attic. Forty or fifty of us were kept there. While this was going on, others carried Benjamin's beer bottles away so the investigators would not find them.

"After we had been in the attic two or three hours, Mary brought us down. Benjamin said 'That's the time we fooled them.'

Testimony that Purnell passed around wine to girls in his home, was given by Mrs. Helen Margaret Couch.

She denied the wine was grape juice. Counsel for the defense produced an affidavit in which Mrs. Couch declared there was no immorality within the colony.

Mrs. Ella Fenn Bouschke testified that her daughter, Mrs. Couch, told her of ill-treatment at the hands of Purnell. She left the colony, she said, because she no longer could subscribe to the beliefs of the cult.

Mrs. Wuerth in her testimony said that Purnell was the possessor of a large fortune which he kept hidden in Shiloh.

"One time," she said, "Benjamin heard that counterfeit bills were being circulated in Benton Harbor. He took me to help him examine his money, which he kept in a private vault in his clothes press. He examined every bill. There was more than $100,000 in paper currency.

"I saw in the vault a bucket full of gold coins, wonderful diamonds, and heaps of other jewelry nearby.

"Benjamin had taken the diamonds and other jewelry away from his followers.

"It took us four days to examine and count the paper currency."

DAVID E. LONERGAN DEAD

Prominent Cambridge Real Estate Man Dies in Atlantic City

BOSTON, March 22.—Word was received in Cambridge yesterday of the death at Atlantic City, N. J., of David E. Lonergan of 1572 Massachusetts ave., Cambridge, a large owner of real estate who had been active for years in both local and state political campaigns.

Mr. Lonergan went to Atlantic City with his wife and daughter about three weeks ago. He was taken ill one week later. The funeral will take place Saturday with high mass of requiem at St. Peter's church, Cambridge, at 10 a. m.

Mr. Lonergan was born in North Cambridge, 58 years ago, spent his life in Cambridge, graduated at Cambridge high and Latin school, was for many years in the real estate business and for 25 years ending a year ago he was confidential business adviser to the Boston Elevated Railway company.

He was a democrat. Though a political power in Cambridge and outside of it, he had always declined any sort of political office. He was a business associate and close friend of Col. William A. Gaston.

Mr. Lonergan owned some of the finest apartment houses and business blocks in Cambridge and had property in various other communities within this state.

He was a man of domestic tastes, but belonged to the Holy Name society of St. Peter's church and the Cambridge Catholic union. His charities were many.

He is survived by his wife, who was Adelyn J. McCarthy, formerly of Lowell; a son, Thomas, in the insurance business, who will carry on his father's real estate business; one daughter, Alice Lonergan, and two sisters, Misses Catherine and Mary Lonergan, both of Cambridge. Thomas Lonergan was graduated at Boston university last June.

ACT PASSED OVER GOV. BAXTER'S VETO

AUGUSTA, Me., March 22.—The act to incorporate the Kennebec Reservoir Co., was passed over Governor Baxter's veto by the house today by a vote of 121 to 25.

Similar action was taken by the senate yesterday.

The company proposes to construct an immense storage reservoir in the Dead River region to regulate water supply to Kennebec river mills.

MOVES AGAINST CLOSED BANK

BOSTON, March 22.—Bank Commissioner Joseph C. Allen today brought a bill in equity in the supreme court against stockholders of the defunct Cosmopolitan Trust Co., to enforce liability against them to satisfy a judgment for $91,836 obtained by the American Express Co.

The bank commissioner asked that he be authorized to assess the stockholders sums in proportion to the amount of stock held by them at the time he took possession of the bank.

$20,000 FIRE LOSS

LINCOLN, Me., March 22—Fire in the Lincoln-Eastern Pulp mill caused damage estimated at $20,000 early today. The flames were confined to the dryer room and chip loft.

Prof. Einstein Quits League Commission

ZURICH, March 22. (By the Associated Press.)—Prof. Albert Einstein, German scientist, known widely for his theory of relativity, announces his resignation as a member of the League of Nations commission on intellectual co-operation, in a letter received by the league secretariat. He says he has become convinced that the league has neither the strength nor good will necessary to accomplish its task and adds: "As a convinced pacifist, it does not seem well to me to have any relation whatever with the league."

Fire in Workhouse Near Pittsburgh

PITTSBURGH, March 22.—Fire which broke out in the brush factory at the Allegheny county workhouse at Hoboken, 10 miles from here this morning, destroyed the building and spread to other parts of the institution. More than 1000 prisoners are confined in the building.

BUSINESS IS BOOMING

All Production Statements Indicate Business Proceeding at Rapid Pace

WASHINGTON, March 22.—All of the production statements and business records available to the commerce department indicated that business in the United States during February, was proceeding at the rapid pace noted earlier in the year, according to a summary of these issues today.

Building, manufacturing and railroad freight movement, the department's statement said, all continued to reflect the stimulation.

"Retail sales kept up to January's mark," the review declared, "in spite of the shorter month, while the transportation system showed signs of overcrowding in the large carloadings and increased shortage of freight cars. The wholesale price index advanced one point, and again the decline in coal prices prevented a further rise. Food prices both at wholesale and retail, declined. Increased prosperity is confirmed by the marked decline in business failures and the continued rise in stock prices.

"In the textile field, the increasing rate of cotton consumption reduced total stocks of raw cotton at the end of February to the lowest point reported at this season of the year since 1914. Wool receipts, with one exception, were higher in February than in any month since April 1921, while silk consumption, also with one exception, was the largest since 1919.

"Building contracts awarded in February amounted to 41,611,000 sq. feet, showing an increase over January in place of the expected seasonal decline."

FRENCH SEEK AMERICAN

Blamed for Interference With Eiffel Tower's Wireless Broadcasting

PARIS, March 22. (By the Associated Press.)—"An American with a disjointed sense of humor," as he is described by the ministry of telegraphs and telephones, is being sought by the French police on a charge of being responsible for interference with the Eiffel tower's wireless broadcasting.

er influential persons in Munster, on the

This interference, it is alleged, is carried out through a private wireless telephone station capable of working on a long wave length, and has caused havoc with the government's official wireless transmission during the past few days.

RUM PIRATES AND RUNNERS IN GUN FIGHT

HIGHLANDS, N. J., March 22.—(By the Associated Press) Rum pirates and runners returning from rum row engaged in two gun fights last midnight, one in Sandy Hook near the mouth of Shrewsbury river and another several hours later on the shore near Belford, according to a story told today by members of the smuggling band. One of the pirates was badly wounded.

WINS REMINGTON MEDAL

NEW YORK, March 22.—The Remington honor medal will be awarded this year to Henry Hurd Rusby, dean of the College of Pharmacy of Columbia university, for his discovery of a number of important drug plants in South America, it was announced today by the New York branch of the American Pharmaceutical association.

Clean Up Poison Soaked Kidneys Advises Dr. Carey

Thousands Die Every Year Because They Allow Poisonous Deposits to Accumulate in Kidneys

Don't flush your kidneys with harsh makeshifts, says Dr. Carey; they are too frail and delicately constructed to treat them rough.

For 40 years I have been using my Prescription No. 777 for kidney and bladder sickness and now that I have retired from active practice I have made arrangements with leading druggists to dispense this wonderful prescription at a moderate price.

Beware of kidney disease—thousands die of it every year who ought to be enjoying the blessings of life and health.

If you have specks floating before the eyes, puffs under eyes, clammy feet or moist palms, backache or sideache, you ought to get a bottle of Dr. Carey's Prescription No. 777 right away.

It has conquered thousands of cases of kidney and bladder diseases and is the medicine you can always depend upon.

IMPORTANT—Dr. Daniel G. Carey has been a practicing physician for many years and his great Prescription No. 777, known for years as "Marshroot," has cured thousands of sufferers from kidney and bladder troubles. It is not a patent medicine and is only sold through drug stores in order to accommodate his patients. You can obtain it at Fred Howard's and A. W. Dows' Co.—Adv.

BUSINESS IS BOOMING

UNEASINESS IN BRITAIN

Inequality in Air Defense Too Dangerous to Continue, Says Paper

LONDON, March 22.—(By the Associated Press) The debate on air defense in the house of lords last evening attracted much notice from the press, most of the morning newspapers giving it great prominence, while some comment approvingly upon the concern voiced by various speakers over Great Britain's inferiority in the air.

The newspapers point out that this anxiety does not imply a hostile or suspicious attitude toward France, although the extreme vulnerability of Great Britain to an attack by a French air fleet and the great disparity in the respective air forces of the two nations makes comparison inevitable.

The general conclusion of the commentators is that there is ample justification for uneasiness over the country's defenselessness and that the inequality is too dangerous to be allowed to continue. Friendship with France, it is pointed out, will not be less sincere if Britain's air strength is put on an equal footing.

CITY OF LOWELL

Notice is hereby given as required by Section 23 of chapter 43 of the General Laws of Massachusetts, that the following ordinance has been proposed in City Council, to wit:

CITY OF LOWELL
Commonwealth of Massachusetts
ORDINANCE

To provide for the creation of various departments of the City of Lowell.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Lowell, as follows:

First: There shall be a department known as the Department of Streets, Sewers and Bridges, the administrative head of which shall be designated and called a Commissioner of Streets and Highways, who shall exercise all the functions of a highway surveyor and who shall be nominated by the Mayor and confirmed by a majority vote of all members of the City Council and who shall hold office for a term of two years from the first Monday of January, 1923, and until his successor is nominated, confirmed and qualified.

Second: There shall be a Department of Water Works, the administrative head of which shall be designated and called the Commissioner of Water Works who shall be nominated by the Mayor and confirmed by a majority vote of all the members of the City Council and who shall be elected and hold office for a term of two years from the first Monday of January, 1923, and until his successor is nominated, confirmed and qualified.

Third: There shall be a Department of Civil Engineering, the administrative head of which shall be the City Engineer who shall be nominated by the Mayor and hold office for the term of two years from the first Monday of January, 1923, and until his successor is nominated, confirmed and qualified.

Fourth: There shall be a Department for the Collection of Ashes and Waste Materials, including all such refuse which is not already designed to be collected under the supervision of the Board of Health. The administrative head of said Department shall be known and designated as The Commissioner of Waste Collection who shall be nominated by the Mayor and such nomination shall be confirmed by a majority of the City Council, and he shall hold office for the term of two years from the first Monday of January, 1923, and until his successor is nominated, confirmed and qualified.

Fifth: The above mentioned administrative heads of the said Departments and Commissioners shall perform and exercise the control and management of the affairs of the respective departments to which they have been duly elected and qualified, and except as is otherwise provided by law, shall have the power, subject to the laws of the Commonwealth, to appoint, employ, suspend, remove, or discharge all subordinate officers and employes in their respective departments, and shall make and execute all contracts necessary to the general charge and management of all matters pertaining to their respective departments except for the purchase of materials and supplies, but every such contract made as aforesaid in which the amounts exceeds $50, shall be approved by the Mayor before going into effect.

Sixth: The Commissioner of Streets and Highways, the Commissioner of Water Works, the Commissioner of Engineering, and the Commissioner of Waste Collection shall pursue such policies and undertake such work in their respective departments as may be defined and determined by the City Council or any committee thereof being duly and legally delegated and authorized to act.

Seventh: There shall be a committee of the City Council composed of Five (5) members thereof appointed by the chairman of the City Council and to be known as the Committee on Public Works, whose powers shall be to determine the policies to be pursued and the work to be undertaken in the various departments heretofore mentioned.

Eighth: Pursuant to Section 5, Chapter 267 of the General Acts of 1915, the provisions of law made, provided and contained in Section 30 of Chapter 383, Acts of 1921, which provisions provide for a Board of Public Service, are hereby superseded by this ordinance and the departments created hereunder shall be known and designated as The Department of Public Works and the said department heretofore known, designated and called The Board of Public Service is hereby abolished.

Nine: All ordinances and parts of Ordinances inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed and this Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

By order of the City Council.

STEPHEN FLYNN, Clerk.

March 22, 1923.

TRY A SUN, CLASSIFIED AD

How About the Yankees?

What about the New York Yankees? Will the "good old wagon" that went through the American league race last year, only to "break down" during the world series, be a contender this year? Will the trades of the winter help or hurt the New York Americans? What is the real "low-down" on pre-season prospects of the major league clubs? These questions will be answered fully and impartially for The Sun sport page readers by one of baseball's foremost authorities. Billy Evans, for years an umpire in the American league and one of the leading sport experts, is making a tour of all of the big league training camps. His stories will appear exclusively in The Sun. Watch for this series. Evans knows personally pretty nearly every player in the majors. He is able to give you just the information you're hankering for.

OUT OUR WAY

It Will Pay You to Get THE SUN Classified Ad Habit

WHO FIRST FELT "LIKE A FIGHTING COCK"?

COCK-FIGHTING was born with the cocks.

But it is only 80 years ago that the first man felt "like a fighting cock!"

Now he has brothers, sisters, nephews, nieces, all over the world—all feeling "like a fighting cock!"

It happens this way. A person half sick with bad stomach, dull and heavy headache, takes Beecham's Pills just before going to bed. Immediately the Pills begin to harmonize the digestive and eliminative organs.

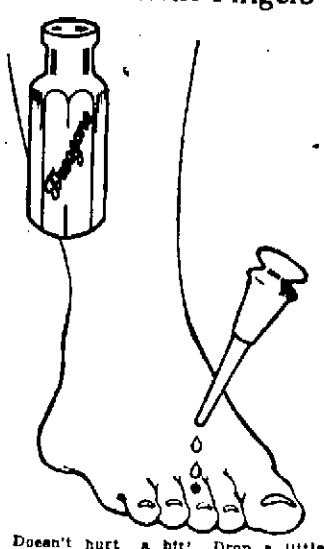
Consequently, this person has a good night's sleep and arises in the morning with clear brain, bright eye, keen appetite, and full of energy for work and play.

It is now just 80 years since Beecham's Pills first began correcting disordered stomachs and stirring sluggish livers and bowels to natural activity — and feeling "like a fighting cock" is associated as inseparably with Beecham's Pills, as the pills are with good health.

At All Druggists—25c and 50c

CORNS

Lift Off with Fingers



Doesn't hurt a bit! Drop a little "Freezone" on an aching corn, instantly that corn stops hurting, then shortly you lift it right off with fingers. Truly!

Your druggist sells a tiny bottle of "Freezone" for a few cents, sufficient to remove every hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, and the callouses, without soreness or irritation.—

WOMEN! DYE ANY GARMENT OR DRAPERY

Waists	Kimonas	Draperies
Skirts	Curtains	Ginghams
Coats	Sweaters	Stockings
Dresses	Coverings	Everything

Diamond Dyes

Each 15 cent package of "Diamond Dyes" contains directions so simple any woman can dye or tint her old, worn, faded things new, even if she has never dyed before. Buy Diamond Dyes—no other kind—then perfect home dyeing is guaranteed. Just tell your druggist whether the material you wish to dye is wool or silk, or whether it is linen, cotton, or mixed goods. Diamond Dyes never streak, spot, fade, or run.—Adv.

Pale and Thin

Many feel unequal to the daily task. They are prone to frequent colds or coughs, or are pale and thin. What is needful is rich, nourishing

Scott's Emulsion

of pure vitamine-bearing cod-liver oil, to help strengthen and build up the vital forces of the body. *Build up resistance daily with Scott's Emulsion!*

Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, N.J. 22-23

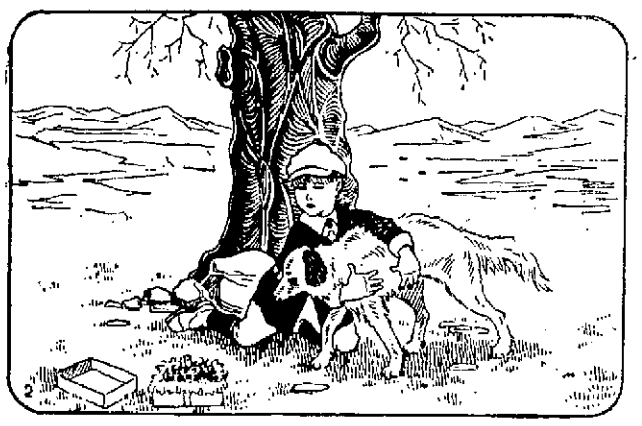
NEURALGIA or headache—rub the forehead—melt and inhale the vapors

VICKS VAPORUB

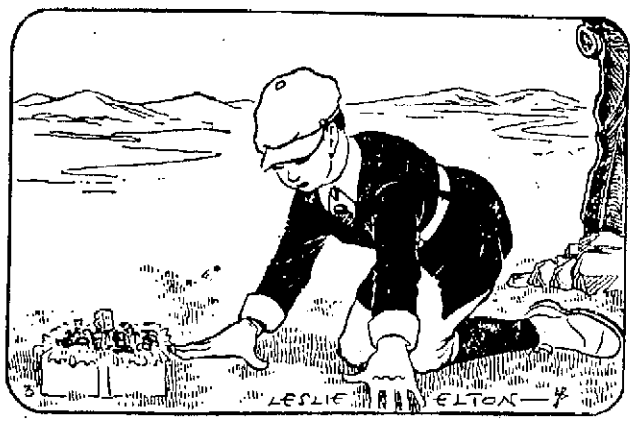
Over 17 Million Jars Used Yearly

Jack Daw in Candy Land. Chapter 2

When the paper was removed from his candy box, Jack's eyes sparkled at the thought of a treat ahead of him. Then he got a real surprise! As he took the cover off the box and folded the fancy edge paper back, a little caramel jumped right out and shouted, "Hurrah, I'm free again!"



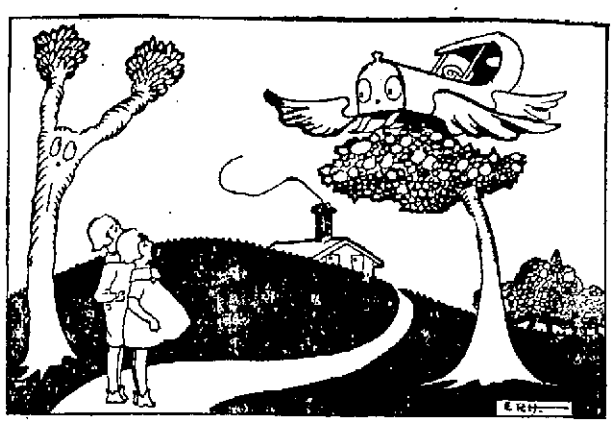
Now Flip, Jack's faithful dog, was very fond of candy and he would have gobbled the poor little caramel right up if Jack hadn't grabbed hold of him. "Mustn't touch that caramel," shouted Jack. "It's a different kind than we've ever seen before. It can talk, and I want to chat with it."



It seemed that the caramel knew that Jack had saved his life, for he bowed and shouted, "Thank you very much. I'm always afraid of dogs and little boys for they always eat me, but you seem to be a good boy and I feel safe." "You are safe," replied Jack. "But tell me, who are you?" (Continued.)

Adventures of The Twins

THE AUTO WITH WINGS



LOOKING UP THEY SAW AN AUTOMOBILE WITH WINGS, ROOSTING ON A TREE.

When the twins left the queer mixed-up school, they heard a queer flapping sound overhead

And looking up they saw an automobile with wings, roosting on a tree.

Of all the queer things they had seen in Mix-Up Land, this was the queerest.

"Want a ride?" offered the automobile obligingly.

"Y-yes, thank you," answered Nancy. "If it's quite safe."

"Safe?" laughed the automobile. "Why, I'm just as safe as a balloon with a hole in it. Nothing could be safer than that."

Nick laughed. "Mix-Up Land is such a queer place we don't know what is safe and what isn't. Why do you fly instead of run?"

"Why does the sun shine at night, and the moon shine in the day time?" asked the queer automobile. "Why does anything do anything in Mix-Up Land? Why do elephants chirp and sparrows trumpet, why do lions bark and dogs roar, why is the grass blue and the sky green, why is—"

"Oh, oh, oh!" cried Nancy, putting her hands over her ears. "Don't say anything more, please. We are getting so mixed up we'll soon be Mix-Uppers ourselves."

The automobile rattled its bolts.

"Well, you asked me, so I was just telling you," it answered. "But I'm not so crazy as I look. Automobiles that fly have some advantage over automobiles that roll on the ground. Do you still wish to get to Jack Straw's house on top of the steeple?"

"Yes, yes, yes?" cried both twins at once. "We want to put him out and put King Even-Steven in."

"Then climb up and jump in," said the automobile. "Perhaps if you guide me right, I can run into it and wreck it."

With shouts of glee, in scrambled the twins, and away flew the automobile.

Mix-Up Land looked like a game of a hundred colors spread out below.

(To Be Continued.)

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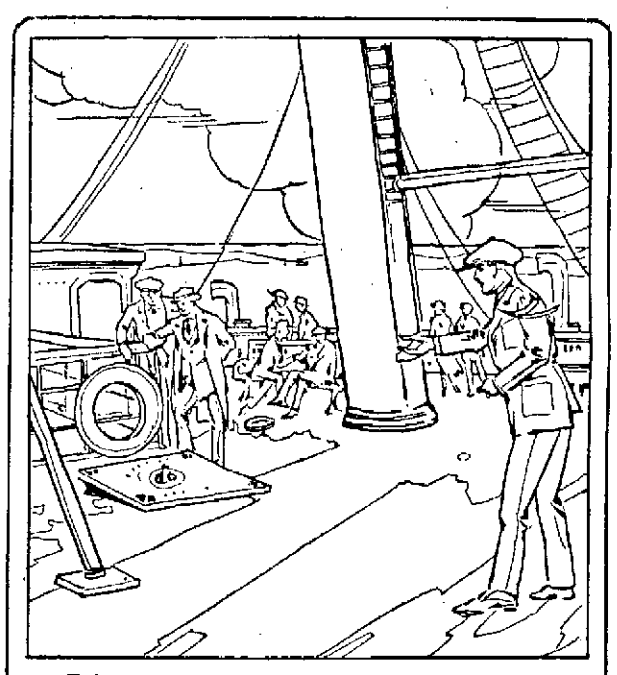
—IN FOREIGN LANDS—

TINTED TRAVELS

Sketches by L. W. Redner. Verses by Hal Cochran.

Color the picture with paint or crayons

SPORT ON BOARD



The larger ocean liners have
Real comforts of all sorts—
From libraries and swimming pools
To many brands of sports—

Non-Theatrical Film Men Elect Their Own "Hays"

By JAMES W. DEAN

NEW YORK, March 19.—The motion picture theaters of the United States are attended regularly by 68.2 per cent of the people, according to data on file in Will Hay's office. In towns of 25,000 more than the total population attend the movies during the week.

If these figures—they cannot be definite—are even approximately correct they point out that three of every ten people seldom see movies in the theaters. They may see motion pictures in school rooms, churches and community centres. Films shown in those places are listed as non-theatrical films. Under that classification fall scenics, travelogues, folklore, wild animal life and historical and biblical romances.

VOLA VALE (SOUNDS LIKE A CHORUS GIRL'S PSEUDONYM). SHE'S IN A MOVIE CALLED "MOTHERS-IN-LAW."

A good name for the non-theatrical film, it appears at first glance, would be the non-bunk film.

Heretofore there has been no organization of the films distributing non-theatrical films. Francis M. Hugo, former state secretary of New York, has just been made chairman of the directors of one of the larger non-theatrical firms under a plan to affiliate all the non-theatrical firms under him in an organization similar to the Hays organization.

"The non-theatrical firms have made spasmodic efforts to reach the great mass of people who do not attend theaters," Hugo told me today. "We are now amalgamating these efforts to the end of getting the non-theatrical film before the vast audience that awaits it.

"We are now filming the life of Lincoln and the history of the United States and we believe those films will be exhibited in every school in the country.

If this proposed organization headed by Hugo will keep clear of all existing organizations in the motion picture industry it will be enabled to accomplish untold good for the motion picture as an art.

Many excellent films, such as the Scandinavian version of "Hamlet" with Asta Nielsen starring, never reach the public because the industry as organized today throttles the independent producer.

Asta Nielson's "Hamlet" stood no more show of being exhibited in a Broadway theater than Banquo's ghost.

Universal recently bought "Driven," which Charles Brabin produced independently, and boasted that it was the first independent film it had bought in years.

Much has been said about the community film theater movement. It seems to me that the only hope for that movement to succeed at this time is through the organization proposed by Hugo. That group it already set to the purpose of reaching people who do not attend the commercial theater. Those who have been prating about art for art's sake in the movies should find their opportunity for expression through the Hugo organization. At least, Hugo should see to it that they do find their opportunity.

BRITISH SPINNERS WAR ON DYERS

MANCHESTER, March 23.—A protest has been made to the Master Cotton Spinners association by British dyers against the action of the spinners in sending their goods to Belgium to be dyed. The trade has been affected seriously in Lancashire.

The manufacturers claim they are able to send the goods to Belgium to be dyed and then send them back to England at less cost than to have the work done here, and refuse to change their plans unless the price is decreased.

LIVING CHEAPER IN FINLAND

HELSINGFORS, Finland, March 23.—The cost of living in Finland decreased eleven points during January. This is the largest decrease recorded since the war.

BLACK AND WHITE

Black tafteta is frequently combined with white batiste or white lace in the spring frocks. Aprons, tunics, guimps and overblouses of white relieve the plainness of the dark silk and add to the smartness.

WALTER E. GUYETTE, Auctioneer
53 CENTRAL ST. Telephone 2415

HIGHLANDS—Near Midland st., 7-room cottage, gas, bath, hot and cold water, open plumbing, room for garage. Price $3900. M. Gomes, Banker's Exchange Corp., 200 Central st.

HIGHLANDS—Two-tenement, five rooms each, gas, baths, hot and cold water, open plumbing, set trays, steam heat, all hardwood floors, electric lights, room for a garage. Price $7800. M. Gomes, Banker's Exchange Corp., 200 Central St. Tel. 5473.

Announcements

LOST AND FOUND 3

DIAMOND STICK PIN—Reward, write H-93, Sun Office.

TORTOISE SHELL GLASSES in case lost on Merrimack st. Saturday. Reward 404 Stevens st. Tel. 5292-M.

Automobiles

OVERLAND ROADSTER for sale, 1920, new Royal Cord tires on rear. Car in good repair. It is no junk. Reason for sale, too small for my business. Tel. 5595 or 3424-W.

AUTOMOBILE for sale. Studebaker, 7-passenger, just overhauled, new battery, starter, De Luxe motor, $150 cash or $175 terms. Reo in good running order, self starter, $100 cash $125 on time; one touring car, will trade for land or hens, equal value. 186 Branch st. Tel. 519-W.

SERVICE STATION 12

CYLINDER GRINDING for all makes of pleasure cars and trucks. Piston rings fitted. W. B. Roper, 21 Arch st. Tel. 4304.

ELECTRIC SERVICE 15

COTE ELECTRICAL CO—Electric motor and magneto service, new and second hand motors bought and sold. 631 Dutton st. Tel. 6373. Residence Tel. 4087-J.

GARAGES TO LET 29

INDIVIDUAL STALLS for automobiles, rent $5 month. Inquire 18 Fourth st.

Business Service

MOVING AND TRUCKING 30

J. BURKE & SON—94 Lilley ave. Tel. 2696. Furniture moving, local and long distance, reasonable prices.

SAND, GRAVEL AND LOAM—Heavy trucking. E. F. Purcell, Sons, 289 Fairmount st. Tel. 1489-W.

M. J. FEENEY, piano and furniture moving, 19 Kinsman st. Tel. 5475-W.

Legal Notices

March 9, 1923.

Written application, in accordance with the public statutes, has been made to the Lowell Trust Company for the issuance of a duplicate of deposit book No. 425, Time Deposit Department, said book having been either lost, stolen, or destroyed.

J. F. CONNORS, Actuary.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.—Middlesex ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Elizabeth H. Foye, late of Lowell in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by William P. Foye, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the third day of April, A. D. 1923, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, George F. Lawton, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fifteenth day of March in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three.

F. M. ESTY, Register.

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DR. ROONEY
Dental Surgeon
Strand Bldg. Central St.
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Landscape Gardening

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Joseph A. Norkunas
Real Estate
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Phone 6767

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C. H. HANSON CO., 51 Cushing S., Lowell Mass. Telephone 154. Freight forwarding and teaming of all kinds.

STORAGE 31

STORAGE ROOMS for furniture and pianos, $1.50 and $2 per month, also furniture and piano moving. O. F. Prentiss, 356 Bridge st. Tel. 126.

STORAGE FOR FURNITURE and pianos, large enough for two-horse load. M. A. Mahoney 18 Fourth st.

CHIMNEYS CLEANED 37

CHIMNEYS SWEPT, $2.50 a flue. J. M. Kelley, 191 Appleton st. Tel. 4711-M.

CHIMNEYS SWEPT and repaired. W. M. Cloutier, successor to J. Limburg. Tel. 6393, 59 Dutton st.

ROOFING 38

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"BEAUTY PARLOR" for sale, fully equipped and doing a good business. Owner leaving town. Price only $1000. Sterling B. Crosby, 116 Central st.

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Livestock

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STORE with tenement to let. Inquire Dr. Sawyer, 55 Vernon st.

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2-TENEMENT HOUSE for sale, 6 rooms each, gas, bath, hot and cold water, pantry, piazzas. Price $6500. J. A. Norkunas, 225 Gorham st. Tel. 6767.

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BRIGHT SUNNY COTTAGE for sale, upper Chelmsford st, 7 large rooms, bath; a real good home, for only $3300. Easy terms. Sterling B. Crosby, 116 Central st.

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7-ROOM COTTAGE for sale, near Sacred Heart church, large yard. Price $3200. D. F. Leary, Hildreth Bldg.

7-ROOM COTTAGE for sale near Lincoln st., bath, slate roof, all square rooms. Price $3000. D. F. Leary, Hildreth Bldg.

2-TENEMENT HOUSE for sale near Westford st, 7 rooms each, new roof, newly painted, excellent location, $500 cash. Price $5100. D. F. Leary, Hildreth Bldg.

6-ROOM COTTAGE for sale near Foster and Westford sts, gas, electricity, furnace heat, now vacant. Price $3300. D. F. Leary, Hildreth Bldg.

DOINGS OF THE DUFFS

APPRECIATION OF MUSIC

New England Conservatory Professor Opens Lecture Course in High School

Prof. Stuart Mason of the New England Conservatory of Music last night opened his lecture course in the music room of the Lowell high school, the general subject being "Appreciation of Music," under the auspices of the State University Extension division. There was a large attendance and many enrolled for the entire course of ten lectures. The lectures are to be given every Thursday evening at 7.30 o'clock and there will be chances for enrollments from now until April 4. After that date only enrolled students will be admitted to the courses.

During his lecture last evening, Prof. Mason gave an outline of music, summarizing his subject beginning with rhythm, the first principle of all music. He explained how ancient savages used percussion instruments, such as drums, with their primitive instruments. Later people evolved the idea of melody by means of so-called pipes. Later on a tone scale was fixed so that a melodic outline for music might be obtained. Scales were developed in the Far East in the early days, but they were different from present-day major and minor scales.

ager of the Veterans' bureau. Com-

The lecturer also explained the beginnings of counterpoint—combinations of melodies, which at the beginning of the 17th century developed into the present idea of a musical composition composed of a melody accompanied by harmonious music as a background.

From the 17th century comes a succession of great names—Beethoven, of the romance school, representing the present day, and Schumann expressing nationality in the music of "new departures." The professor starting with the lecture next Thursday will, in detail, take up the essentials that help in the appreciation of music, both for musicians and music lovers. He illustrates various points in each lecture on the piano, this being a most helpful feature of the talks. The piano used yesterday is badly out of tune and squeaky and should be adjusted.

SPRING HAT WEEK ENDS TOMORROW

Spring is here and so are the new spring hats. For the past week the men's apparel stores of the city have been displaying all the leaders in the popular new designs and colors and shapes. Men! have you got under one of the latest hat creations? If you haven't now is the time for you to do so. Don't put it off until next week. Get that new hat tomorrow. Easter is at hand! You are discriminating; you know how it feels to sport up-to-date headgear and join the merry springtime throng. Remember, too, that no matter what the size, shape or style you prefer, there's a hat somewhere in the chain of L.en's hat shops presenting their 1923 offerings of spring hats that will fit you. Remember also that this is Spring Hat week in Lowell. March 17 to 24 were the dates. Don't wait until Easter. Spruce up. Make it a point to visit one of the men's stores tomorrow and select your 1923 spring headgear.

MORNING ASSEMBLY AT THE HIGH SCHOOL

The Monday morning assembly at the high school will be resumed next week. Mr. Henry H. Harris has arranged a musical program for this affair that will be given by students of the school. Miss Sarah Mason will give two piano selections, namely the "Minuet," by Mozart, and "Le Cavalier Fantastique," by Godard. Lorenzo Goddu will sing "The Clang of the Forge," by Rodney, and "Cato's Advice," by Huhn. Harry Sargent will accompany Mr. Goddu.

Previously, Mr. Harris has had speakers or singers at these assemblies who have come from out of town, and the expense has been more than the finances could stand, so now he intends to give programs by high school pupils as much as he can, as he believes it will increase interest in these assemblies and also will awaken the students to the opportunities offered in the professions of music and singing.

TO REPAIR VETERANS HOUSE AT THE WEIRS

Lowell business men are donating prizes to be awarded winners in the whist playing contests that are to feature the afternoon and evening event, to be held Thursday, March 29, in aid of the Lowell Association of New Hampshire Veterans. Supper will be served in Post 120 hall at 6 p. m., and whist will be played afternoon and evening. Mrs. Ada Myrick will be in charge of the supper, and the whist socials in charge of Mrs. J. B. Daniels and Mrs. W. A. Coburn.

There are but eight known members of the Lowell Association of New Hampshire Veterans now living, six of them residing in Lowe and vicinity. The money to be derived from the March 29 whist parties and supper, will be devoted principally to repairing the veterans' house at the Weirs in New Hampshire, a structure now some 40 years old and in need of renovating in order to provide more comforts for the veterans who go there in August for a period of about two weeks.

The active committee of ladies seeking to provide prizes for the veterans' whist social are now visiting business men of the city, who are very generously responding to appeals for donations for the worthy cause.

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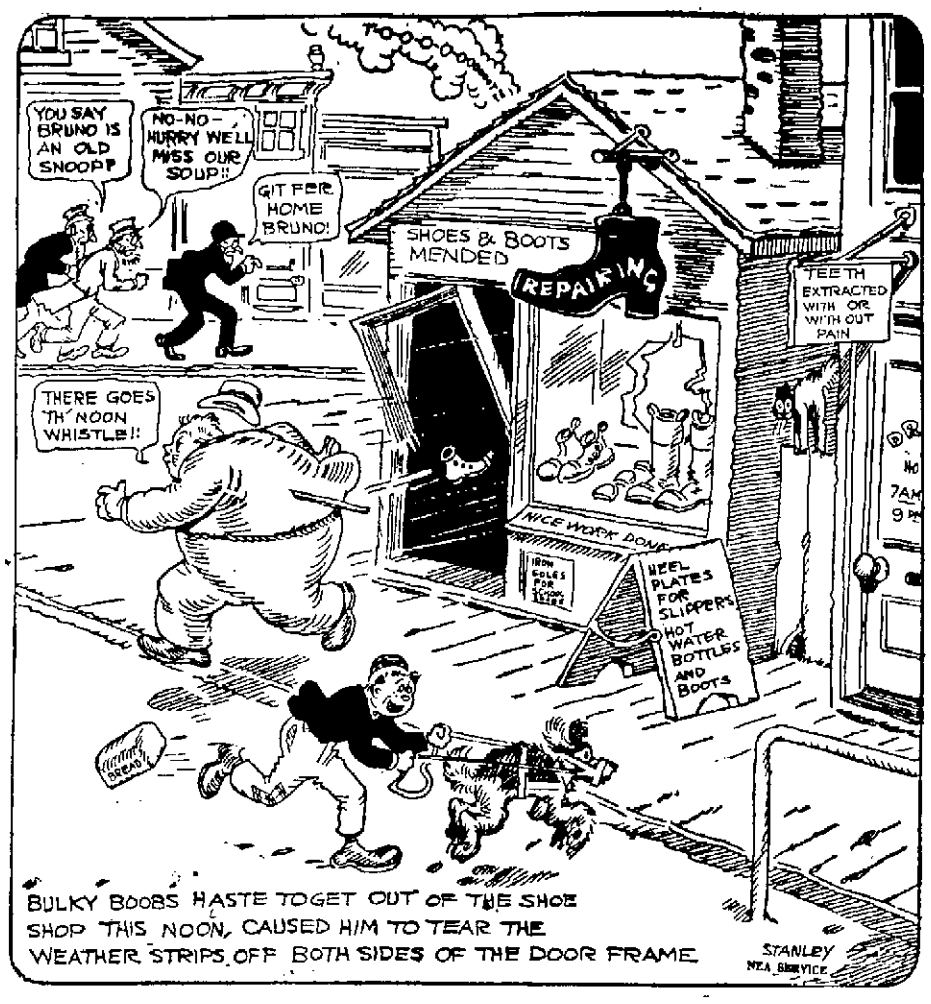
Robert J. Thomas, Jr., won a Waltham gold watch prize in a drawing recently conducted for the benefit of a sick member of Local N. 280, Street Carmen's union.

Robert Thompson and Harvey B. Greene will speak tonight in the hall of the Massachusetts Cotton mills before the "S and E club" of the mills. There will also be an illustrated lecture on geology. After the program refreshments will be served.

THE OLD HOME TOWN



WILL SUPERVISE LOCAL POSTOFFICE WORK

Postmaster Delisle has received notification from the postmaster-general that Superintendent of Construction Booth of the department would arrive in Lowell the first of next week to supervise the remodelling of the local postoffice, and would remain here until all the work is done.

This is in line with the general policy of the government for supervision of extensive alterations, and practically no work can be done on a government building without the direct approval of the government's supervisor. Upon Mr. Booth's arrival it is expected that work on the postoffice will go ahead rapidly. Up to the present the work has mostly been preparatory to the laying of girders, and the partitioning of Room 1 into a work-room and toilet.

WELCOME LETTER

"Approbation From Sir Hubert is Praise Indeed"

Manager Maurice McCormack of the street railway company has received the following letter from a resident of the Chelmsford street section of the city. The letter is just the opposite to most of those received at the company's office and for this reason it is valued highly.

"A few weeks ago I wrote to you complaining of the service on the Chelmsford Center line at the time I usually go home. For the last two or three weeks you have given us a car at 6.25 p. m. so regularly that I think you are deserving of the thanks of the passengers. If none of the other regular passengers have done so, I assure you that they also appreciate it. I miss it occasionally but am willing to wait once in a while if I can ways been a hard line to keep time on

The Chelmsford Center line has always been a hard line to keep on time because of heavy traffic and a single track beyond Lincoln square, but by the addition of extra cars to act as "set-backs" during the rush hours, service has been practically normal there for the past two or three weeks.

PAWTUCKETVILLE CLUB WILL HELP STRIKERS

The members of the Pawtucketville Social club are going to do their bit in helping the cause of the strikers of the Boston & Maine car shops. At a meeting of the organization held last evening with President Alphonse Fortier in the chair a communication was read from the B. & M. Federated Crafts asking that the club lend a helping hand to the needy strikers and after some discussion it was voted to organize a smoke talk for the benefit of the strikers. The following committee was appointed to make all arrangements: Frank Allard, Zenon Morrissette and Arthur H. Giroux.

BAN ON MOTOR TRUCKS IN NEW HAMPSHIRE

Lowell Automobile Merchants' association members have been notified that heavily-loaded motor trucks will be temporarily banned from all highways in New Hampshire, beginning at midnight, March 24, and continuing for an indefinite period until the ban is officially removed.

The New Hampshire order announces that all motor vehicles of a gross weight exceeding three tons and horse-drawn vehicles of a gross weight exceeding two tons are, until further notice, barred from use of trunk lines, cross state and state aid highways in the state of New Hampshire.

This regulation promulgated by the New Hampshire highway commissioner and approved by the governor and council of the state is competent in law. The regulation specifies "gross weight," which will in most instances defeat any attempt to transport a pay load in other than the lightest type of truck.

Truckmen have been warned that violations of the above regulations will, without question, result in serious personal inconvenience, financial loss, court appearances and legal litigations as the New Hampshire authorities are determined to prevent destruction of their highways during the spring season.

POPULAR EVENTS AT THE HIGH SCHOOL

Two of the most popular events of the drill season at the high school for both the boys and the girls will be held during the month of April.

Boys' Drill Night is scheduled for April 13, and the members of the regiment are practicing both individual and company drill and are sprucing themselves up on the execution of orders. This affair always draws a big crowd of interested on-lookers and is always worth seeing, and this year's event is going to be just a little better than anything ever put on before.

Girls' Gym Night is the other event scheduled for April, coming on the 27th, and this is always interesting. The officers and members of the girls' battalions are working now on exercises for this affair, and they promise many new and intricate exhibitions.

SWEDISH LAYMEN ELECT

WORCESTER, March 23.—At the laymen's conference opened this morning in connection with the 23rd annual session of the Eastern Swedish Methodist conference here, these officers were elected:

GRADUATION EXERCISES

Textile Evening Classes Will Graduate April 11—Mr. Chas. W. Gow, Speaker

Mr. Charles W. Gow, of the Associated Industries of Massachusetts, will be the speaker at the graduation exercises of the evening classes of the Textile school to be held in the Auditorium of the school on April 11. Mayor Donovan will present certificates to the graduates at these exercises, and the regular program of entertainment will be carried out.

The evening classes are supported by the city of Lowell, and the graduation exercises are open to the public. The complete program of the exercises and the subject of Mr. Gow's address will be made public at a later date.

PLAN FOR REPARATIONS SETTLEMENT

WASHINGTON, March 3.—A proposal that European business men work out a plan for reparations settlement, based on American financial co-operation, was laid today before the delegates to the second meeting of the international chamber of commerce in Rome by Fred I. Kent, vice president of the Bankers Trust Co. of New York and a member of the American delegation.

Coupled with the proposal was the assertion by Mr. Kent that there was a "great waiting group" in the United States, ready to support such a move before the American public.

A summary of Mr. Kent's address, made public here by the American section of the international chamber, contained the suggestion that a portion of allied indebtedness to the United States might be exchangeable for "positive agreement" between the allies and Germany on reparations that "included the amount and methods and times of payment and that can and will be lived up to."

SWITZERLAND AND HOLLAND PROTEST

LONDON, March 23.—Holland and Switzerland, as the neutral powers most directly affected by interference with international trade in the Rhineland, have decided to take steps to obtain unrestricted rights on the Rhine, according to the diplomatic correspondent of the Telegraph.

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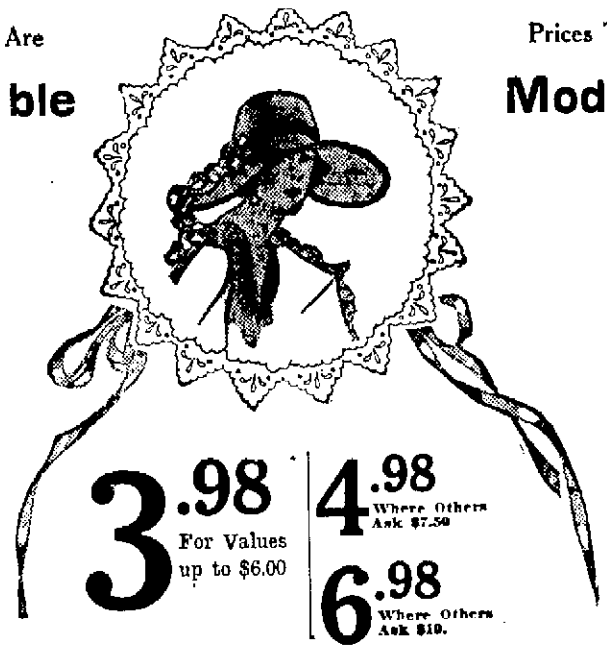

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Girl Witness in House of David Case Admits She Perjured Herself and Lied

Was Partner of Purnell in Every Crooked and Deceitful Deal in Colony

Says She Violated Law for Purnell "Believing it Was His Faith"

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., March 23.—An admission during cross-examination that she "ought to be behind the bars" for her racts in behalf of the Israelite House of David, marked the testimony in federal court here today of Esther Hansell, for 13 years secretary to Benjamin David Purnell, head of the cult, in the suit instituted by her parents-at-law, against Purnell.

The witness, during cross-examination, declared she had violated the law for Purnell, "believing it was the faith."

"I was a partner of Benjamin in every crooked and deceitful deal in the colony," she testified. "I perjured myself and lied; Benjamin and I both ought to be behind the bars."

The witness said she had committed perjury in connection with a previous court trial.

FARRAR-TELLEGEN CASE

Counsel Denies That Miss Larrimore Was Guilty of Relations With Tellegen

NEW YORK, March 23.—Denial that Miss Stella Larrimore, 19-year-old actress and sister of Francine Larrimore, Broadway star, was guilty of intimate relations with Lou Tellegen, was made today by her counsel at a hearing in the divorce suit brought against the actor by Geraldine Farrar.

Lewis B. Brodsky, counsel for the young girl, obtained from Referee Mahony an adjournment of one week in order that he might peruse the record pertaining to the alleged courtship of "Miss L" by Tellegen and produce his client at an open hearing to make public denial of the charges in which her name appeared.

"Miss L" was one of three correspondents named by the diva and testimony was given at the last hearing by detectives employed by Miss Farrar, that while Tellegen was playing here in 1921, in the title role of "Don Juan," he many times escorted "Miss L" to her apartment on Riverside Drive and once spent the night there.

After this evidence had become public, Miss Francine Larrimore and other members of the family denied the charges vigorously, contending that the evidence was simply "the dirty frame-up of hired detectives."

Today—at what was scheduled to be the final hearing in the divorce suit—Brodsky and Samuel Untermyer, counsel for the singer, engaged in a tilt over a stipulation in the adjournment order.

Mr. Untermyer wished Mr. Brodsky to agree to produce the girl next week. This Mr. Brodsky refused and the referee upheld him.

Miss Larrimore did not appear herself at today's hearing. Her counsel declared that, under the civil practice act, he could if he desired, demand a trial by jury of the charges of misconduct in which his client was mentioned.

Counsel for Mr. Tellegen, who has entered no defense to the suit so far, did not appear at today's hearing.

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FEDERAL ACTION AGAINST FOSTER

Request That Government Prosecute Alleged Radicals Filed Today

Application Made by Organizations Interested in Law Enforcement

WASHINGTON, March 23—A request that the federal government commence prosecutions against William Z. Foster and 11 other alleged radicals, and investigate the acts of Frank P. Walsh and eight others declared to have been associated with various radical movements in this country was filed with the department of justice today by representatives of a number of organizations interested in law enforcement.

Accompanying the complaint was a long list of specific charges and a brief arguing that the federal government is fully justified by the facts in taking action. The charges against Foster and his associates were said in the complaint to be based on official statements issued by communist representatives in this country, while the allegations against Walsh and those named with him centered about trips they were said to have made to soviet Russia.

Foster's Defense Opens

ST. JOSEPH, Mich., March 23.—(By the Associated Press) William Z. Foster's defense against charges of criminal syndicalism, growing out of his attendance at the communist convention last summer, opened today with an attack on the reputation and credibility of "K-97" the government agent who attended the convention as a delegate.

Depositions taken by Frank P. Walsh, attorney for Foster, at Philadelphia and Camden, N. J., were produced in an effort to show that the department of justice agent, whose real name is Francis Morrow, had a bad reputation for veracity and that, as an agent, provocateur he had attempted to stir up riots at socialist street meetings.

In the absence of the jury the state opposed introduction of the depositions, and Judge Charles White sustained the prosecution in part by ruling out large sections.

EXECUTION OF PAPPAS MAY AGAIN BE DELAYED

BOSTON, March 23.—The execution of Paul Pappas, postponed from day to day this week, and supposedly set for tonight, will be postponed until May 1, if Gov. Cox grants the request made by Judge Braley of the supreme court. Pappas' counsel having obtained a writ of error today, the court decided to hold for the full bench, ruling on the statute which provides a year from the date of conviction to file a motion for a new trial. Pappas was convicted last June.

FRENCH TROOPS IN RUHR TO BE REINFORCED

PARIS, March 23.—(By the Associated Press) The French troops in the Ruhr will be reinforced by 20,000 men within a few days, War Minister Maginot announced today in the chamber of deputies.

WILL APPRAISE HIGH SCHOOL FIRE DAMAGE

Frederick F. Meloy, contractor, was appointed by Mayor John J. Donovan this forenoon as an appraiser and adjuster for the city in connection with the extent of fire loss at the high school annex. Mr. Meloy will work with a committee of insurance men, representing the policy holders upon the building and contents.

The building is insured for $70,945, with $6615 additional on the contents. The insurance men holding policies met in the mayor's reception room this morning for the purpose of agreeing upon a plan of action which will result in a speedy adjustment.

Plans for the repair of the building also took shape rapidly today and before 12 o'clock City Building Inspector Francis Connor was at the school, laying out the work to be done.

GOMPERS LEAVES HOSPITAL

NEW YORK, March 23—Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, today left the Lenox Hill hospital where he had been confined for more than two weeks with influenza.

Easter Cards
NOVELTIES, FAVORS AND DECORATIONS
Special Decorations made to order in our Dennison Dept.
PRINCE'S
106-108 MERRIMACK ST.

Early Morning Fire in the High School Annex Closes Girls' Vocational and Continuation Schools

WILD SCENE IN FRENCH CHAMBER AS POINCARE DENOUNCES BERTHON

Premier Calls Communist Deputy an "Abominable Scoundrel"—Deputies Hammer Desks and Ushers Run About Trying to Restore Order—Premier Angered by Insinuations That He Was Controlled by Royalist Leader

PARIS, March 23.—By the Associated Press) Premier Poincare started a scene of wild disorder in the chamber of deputies today when he called Communist Deputy Andre Berthon an "abominable scoundrel."

The premier was angered by communist insinuations that he was controlled by Deputy Leon Daudet, the Royalist leader.

The chamber immediately went wild while deputies hammered their desks and the ushers ran about trying to restore order.

The presiding officer vainly rang his bell for a quarter of an hour to get a hearing and calm the chamber down.

"That man," shouted M. Poincare, pointing at Deputy Berthon, "dared to say he had against me and mine abominable evidence which I feared would be published."

"He lied when he said it," the premier angrily ejaculated.

The deputies, most of whom had not

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LOSS ESTIMATED AT $30,000

Fire Started in Boiler Room —Two Alarms Sent in From Box 217

Greatest Damage on Third Floor Where Flames Broke Through Air Shaft

Fire early this morning swept through the Kirk street end of the high school annex in Paige street, did damage to the extent of approximately $30,000 and necessitated the temporary abandonment of all sessions of the girls' vocational and continuation schools.

The fire apparently had its origin in or near waste paper containers in the boiler room in the basement and had been burning for some time before it was discovered shortly before 4 o'clock. Two alarms, the first at 3.47 and the second at 4.05 o'clock, were sent in from Box 217.

The greatest amount of damage occurred on the third floor where the flames broke out through an air shaft, burned a gaping hole in the roof and practically destroyed two continuation class rooms at that end of the corridor. Vast quantities of [illegible] poured [illegible] building [illegible]

CONFERENCE AT FALL RIVER

Important Developments in Cotton Textile Industry Looked For Today

Executive Committee of Mill Men and Textile Council Discuss Wage Increase

FAL RIVER, March 23.—The executive committee of the manufacturers, together with the Fall River Textile council and the committee of representative citizens, went into conference at 2 o'clock this afternoon in the rooms of the Manufacturers in the Massasoit-Pocasset bank building to discuss the request of the council for an advance of 15 per cent in wages effective April 2.

The manufacturers were represented by President James E. Osborn, treasurer of the Merchants Manufacturing Co., Charles M. Shove, treasurer of the Granite mills, Frank L. Carpenter, treasurer of the Davis mills, Nathan Durfee, assistant treasurer of the American Printing Co., William N. McLane, treasurer of the Sesconnet mills, William L. S. Brayton, treasurer of the Sagamore Manufacturing Co., Simeon B. Chase, treasurer of the King Philip mills, members of the executive committee and J. Edward Newton, treasurer of the Bernard Manufacturing Co., and the Troy C. & W. Manufacturing Co., and George D. Flinn, treasurer of the Ancona Co.

It was expected that the conference would last several hours. At the last moment, a change was necessitated in the personnel of the citizens' committee, due to the fact that Rt. Rev. Mgr. J. A. Prevost had not returned from the south where he has been for the past few weeks but it was announced that one of Mgr. Prevost's curates would probably represent him.

The proposal of the manufacturers that a committee of disinterested citizens be admitted to the conference was accepted by the textile council yesterday. The members of the citizens committee, who will take no part in the wage deliberations but will act as "listeners," were selected by both parties to the negotiations. They are: Right Rev. Mgr. James E. Cassidy, Right Rev. Mgr. Jean A. Prevost, Rev. Dr. E. C. Herrick, Rev. Manuel A. Silva and Judge Edward F. Hanify.

A demand by President Thomas F. McMahon of the United Textile Workers for a wage increase of 20½ per cent, restoring the wage schedule to the 1920 basis has been disregarded by the manufacturers since November. Workers affiliated with the United Textile organization — including the doffers, sweepers and third hands — in January authorized President McMahon to call a strike. At a mass

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HALTS SALE OF SECURITIES

BOSTON, March 23.—The public utilities commission announced today that it had ordered the sale of securities of five concerns doing business in this state stopped on the ground that further sale would result in fraud. The concerns thus barred under the "blue sky" law, are the Norwalk, Ohio, Theatre Co., F. R. Washburn, Inc., Cobb & Griffin Construction Co., Confiterna Manufacturing Co., and the Orlando Hotel Co.

BANDITS FLEE WITH $40,000

Teller of Southern Illinois National Bank and Two Guards Report Robbery

Held Up at Approach of St. Louis Bridge—Bandits Made Their Escape

EAST ST. LOUIS, Ill., March 23.—Samuel D. Barker, a teller of the Southern Illinois National bank, reported to the police that bandits robbed him and two guards of $40,000 at the east approach of the municipal free bridge today. The bandits escaped. The money was being taken to the Illinois Institution from the First National bank in St. Louis, Barker stated.

TO PROBE CHARGES OF SUGAR COMPANY

WASHINGTON, March 23—Charges that there is a conspiracy in the sugar trade to raise prices were said at the department of justice today to be of sufficient gravity to warrant a preliminary inquiry by the Federal government legal officers. A conference was arranged between acting Attorney-General Seymour and Secretary Hoover with a view of joint action.

A representative of the department of justice also was directed to obtain from Basil Manley, director of the People's Legislative Service, who wrote to President Harding in connection with the sugar situation information he had to substantiate conspiracy charges.

If this information warrants a formal investigation department of justice officials said, the commerce department also will participate. Secretary Hoover was charged by Mr. Hanley with being largely responsible for the recent bulge in the sugar market, because of a department statement which was interpreted as forecasting a shortage.

STEAMER IN—CAPTAIN DEAD

BOSTON, March 23.—The steamer Margaret Dollar, one of the Dollar Line round-the-world fleet, which left this port last September, arrived here today with the body of her captain, C. E. Cross of San Francisco. The freighter was 106 days on the run from Shanghai, with numerous stops at Far Eastern Mediterranean ports. Captain Cross died of heart failure few weeks ago, just outside Suez.

Chief Officer F. H. Dircks, who brought the ship back, said that the captain's body was so well guarded by his police dog that it required four men to subdue the animal.

U. S. PLANES HOP OFF

SAN JUAN, P.R., March 23. (By the Associated Press.)—The six United States army airplanes which arrived here from San Antonio, Tex., on Monday, left today on their return trip.

MORE BIG REAL ESTATE DEALS REPORTED

Two real estate transactions of importance were effected today through the office of Walter E. Guyette. One involves about $35,000 and the other close to $12,000. The first deals with the transfer of the large tenement block at the junction of Lakeview avenue and Aiken street, formerly owned by Nellie J. Libbey and more recently by Michael Daly. This property is numbered 708 to 726 Lakeview avenue and 725 to 739 Aiken street. It contains 18 tenements and seven stores and stands on a land area of 10,375 sq. feet. The purchaser was Victor E. Dozois and the sale price is said to be in the vicinity of $35,000.

The other deal has to do with a brand new residence at 91 Florence avenue. This is a house containing nine rooms with all the modern conveniences, and in fact one of the finest residences in that section of the city. The land area in this deal consists of 6093 square feet. The building was recently erected by Horace P. Beals, who sold it to Mrs. Catherine F. Grady, who bought for occupancy.

Sold to Dr. Fishman

The property located at the corner of Merrimack and Cabot streets, owned by the St. Jeanne d'Arc Credit union, has been sold to Dr. Maurice Fishman, who has purchased for investment purposes.

The property consists of a three-story brick building containing two stores and a lodging house, and 3,500 square feet of land. Dr. Fishman is planning to remodel the street floor into four stores and also to make some alterations in the upper portion of the building at an expense of about $10,000. The sale was effected through the office of T. H. Elliott, assisted by George DeLoriers, and the sale price is said to be in the vicinity of $30,000.

PLOT TO OVERTHROW THE PRUSSIAN GOVERNMENT

BERLIN, March 23.—(By the Associated Press) The investigation by the Prussian minister of the interior into the activities of reactionary organizations is reported to have led to the discovery of a plot, modelled on the famous Kapp Putsch to overthrow the government.

It is officially stated that the investigators' searches in Berlin, Kassel, Hanover, Madgeburg and other towns, revealed material of a very compromising character for the anti-Semitic freidheit party.

According to the Vossische Zeitung, the conspirators' plan included overthrowing the government of the Reich and Prussia, assassination of the socialist ministers, dissolution of the reichstag, proclamation that the Weimar constitution was null and void and substitution of the so-called "National Dictatorship" with anti-Semitic and national socialist leaders.

Revolution Set for March 31

LONDON, March 23. (By the Associated Press.) The Prussian minister of the interior, Herr Servering, told the Prussian diet today, according to a Central News despatch from Berlin, that Lieut. Rossbach, recently arrested in Berlin, had planned a revolution which was set to break out by March 31, at the latest.

N. Y. AND BOSTON CLEARINGS

NEW YORK, March 23.—Exchanges, $736,000,000; balances, $82,000,000.

READ DEPOT CASH MARKETS AD. ON PAGE 12

PIGGLY WIGGLY HEAD YIELDS

Offers to Settle With Traders Who Sold Stock "Short" on Basis of $100 a Share

Makes Proposal "To Avoid Law Suits With Various Brokerage Houses"

MEMPHIS, Tenn., March 23. (By the Associated Press.)—Clarence Saunders, president of the Piggly Wiggly Stores, Inc., today offered to settle with New York traders who sold stock of the corporation "short" on the basis of $100 a share.

Mr. Saunders made public the following telegram, addressed to the New York stock exchange:

"To avoid law suits with various brokerage houses, I propose for full settlement today of all accounts of class A common stock, Piggly Wiggly Stores, Inc., that I will furnish this stock upon application to the National Bank of Commerce of New York and upon payment of $100 a share."

SAYS R. R. RATES TO N. E. JUST AND REASONABLE

WASHINGTON, March 23.—Railroad rates on export and import commodities moving between central portions of the United States and the ports of Boston, Fall River, New Bedford, New London, Portland, Me., and Providence, are just and reasonable, in the opinion of an examiner for the interstate commerce commission who filed his report on complaints of the New England cities.

New England shippers and manufacturers had alleged discrimination by reason of lower rates given to Philadelphia, Baltimore and other Atlantic ports.

The examiner's report is yet to be passed on by the commission.

Needs More [illegible] Report

WASHINGTON, March 23.—An order [illegible] the inter[illegible] requiring all [illegible] by May 1 as to their earnings during the year 1922 and to pay over the the government under the transportation act, one half of the amount by which such earnings exceeded a six per cent return on the value of the investment.

BLACKMAIL PLOT BACK OF MODEL'S MURDER

NEW YORK, March 23.—Confirmation today of reports that the supposedly discreet "Mr. John Marshall" had written a number of letters to Dorothy Keenan under the name of "Jack," served to revive the theory that back of the model's murder lay a plot to blackmail her elderly admirer.

REGISTRATION OF FOUR TRUCKS REVOKED

BOSTON, March 23.—In revoking the registration of four motor trucks owned by a wholesale grocery concern in this city because of faulty brake equipment, Frank A. Goodwin, state registrar of motor vehicles, said today that trucks owned by the firm had been involved in two fatal accidents within two years.

"The rapid increase in the use of trucks," he added, "necessarily increases the danger in the city streets swarming with children. No man has a right to operate his automobile if he knows his brakes are not in the best possible condition."

STATE RESTS IN MURDER CASE

SPRINGFIELD, Mar. 23—The commonwealth rested its case this noon in the trial of Joseph Parisi for the murder of Carlo Siniscalchi, Italian leader, in December, 1921. The last witness for the prosecution was Dr. Irving R. Calkins, world's champion revolver shot, who testified as an authority on gunshot wounds, giving his opinion as to the probable posture of Siniscalchi in his limousine at the time he was shot. Counsel for the defense has tried to show that his posture indicated that he might have been reaching toward a hip pocket as if to draw a pistol. This Dr. Calkins doubted. Parisi has claimed that he shot in self defense. The jury today voted to sit in the case tomorrow, contrary to custom in murder trials.

VETERAN OF KEARSARGE DEAD

PALMER, March 23.—Henry S. Hobson, member of one of the big gun crews on the U.S.S. Kearsarge during the battle off the French coast in which the Confederate privateer Alabama was sunk, died today, aged 82. He was one of four living members of the Kearsarge association, composed of officers and crew of the ship. In his later years, he published an account, in verse, of the famous cruise of that vessel.

FORD TO SOLVE COAL PROBLEM

Confirmation of Report That Auto Maker Had Purchased 120,000 Acres of Coal Land

Intends to Solve Country's Coal Problem "By Using Every Piece of Coal Twice"

DETROIT, March 23.—(By the Associated Press) Official confirmation today at the offices of Henry Ford at Dearborn that the automobile manufacturer had purchased 120,000 acres of undeveloped coal lands in Kentucky, was coupled with the statement that Mr. Ford intended to solve the country's coal problems "by using every piece of coal twice."

By purchase of the property, it was announced, Mr. Ford comes into possession of a vast tract of virgin coal lands with a reserve coal supply of 500,000,000 tons. This property, added to other coal lands previously purchased, bring the total number of acres of such land owned by the manufacturer to 165,000.

From these holdings, Mr. Ford hopes that within a year will come sufficient coal to supply all his factories in every part of the country, all the factories and mills manufacturing various products for his own concerns, as many of the industries in this district as care to buy coal from him and have left fuel sufficient to supply a part of the domestic demand of the country.

Mr. Ford, it was announced, will ask all industrial users of his coal to install furnaces that will remove only the gas and similar substances, leaving a fuel unimpaired for domestic purposes.

The coal, after this process, would be sold to heat the homes of hundreds of thousands of workers throughout the country. The fuel remaining after the gas had been taken out would be even more valuable for home heating purposes than it was before, it was explained.

LOCAL TEXTILE WORKERS

Union Representatives Will Hear Report Tonight on Boston Conference

Local textile union representatives have been instructed to meet tonight in council headquarters, Trades and Labor hall, Central street, to receive an official report on the Boston conference of textile workers, held last Sunday, with Lowell representatives present including President John Hanley of the local council. Tonight's report will be given by Mr. Hanley and a discussion will follow. Other business matters are coming up tonight in addition to the conference on the textile workers' attitude on wages and prospects for an immediate advance.

Last night's meeting of Woolen Spinners' local, No. 26, U.T.W., in Trades and Labor hall, was largely at-

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DECISION ON TAXATION

Am. Tel. & Tel. Co. to Pay Tax in This State and Stockholders Will Be Exempt

BOSTON, March 23.—The legislative committee on taxation, it became known today, will report next week a bill which has been agreed to by officials of the American Telephone and Telegraph Co., whereby the company will pay a tax in this state this year and Massachusetts stockholders will not be required to pay an income tax on their holdings. The company had previously refused to pay a tax which had been imposed for many years, taking the ground that under the law it could not be enforced and that because of the change in the nature of the company's business to that of a holding company it was no longer applicable. Henry F. Long, commissioner of taxation, had then petitioned for passage of a bill to remove the existing exemption of American Telephone stock from taxation under the income tax law.

BORAH'S SPEECH FAILS TO DISTURB HARDING

DAYTONA, Fla., March 23.—The declaration of Senator Borah of Idaho, in his Akron speech Wednesday night, that formation of a third party appeared "not improbable," has in no wise disturbed the serenity of President Harding's vacation cruise.

When newspaper accounts of the Borah speech reached the president, the politically minded members of the party read them, but had no comment to make.

ON HUNGER STRIKE

SPRINGFIELD, March 23.—The trial today of Charles G. Rolf, 60, on a charge of non-support brought out the fact that the man has been on a hunger strike for eight days in the county jail, where he has been lodged for refusal to provide $200 bail. Only a threat of jail sentence for contempt caused him to answer questions. He admitted that he had saved $400 but had given his family nothing for a long time. He was placed on probation on promise to reform.

PRESIDENTIAL PARTY NEARS ST. AUGUSTINE

DAYTONA, Fla., March 23.—Somewhat late on schedule the houseboat Pioneer, carrying President Harding and his vacation party northward, today was on the Halifax river, slowly pushing towards St. Augustine, the terminus of the cruise.

President Harding diverted from his routine to a considerable degree on yesterday, when the boat stopped at Titusville for gasoline and supplies by taking a tour of the town in a shiny new flivver, driven by a young man in khaki.

RIALTO THEATRE

Responding to public demand Manager Hammond of the Rialto theatre has decided to continue the big production "The Streets of New York" for the remainder of the present week. The picture has drawn heavier than any shown at the Rialto for many weeks and has been classed by hundreds as the best the Rialto has had all this year.

BLOOD TRANSFUSION FAILS TO SAVE GAGEN

WORCESTER, March 23.—William H. Gagen died at a hospital here early today following a transfusion of blood from his wife in an effort to save his life. Gagen, a freight handler at the Boston & Albany yards, was crushed between a car and a platform, yesterday. His left leg was amputated at the thigh. His wife hurried to the hospital and gave a pint of her blood when doctors said his condition was critical.

AD MEN GOING TO ATLANTIC CITY

Lowell Advertising club's delegation to this year's annual convention of the Associated Advertising Clubs of the World, will be larger in number than ever, it was announced today. A party will be made up to take in the Atlantic City "annual," scheduled for June 3 to 7. Hotel Traymore has been selected as headquarters for New York state and some of the New England groups.

"On-to-Atlantic City" Committees will shortly be selected and much literature distributed throughout the country, advertising the June programs and attractions. Delegates from the Lowell Advertising club will soon be named.

President C. K. Woodbridge, of the Advertising club of New York, is chairman of the national program committee and promises something of distinctly national interest and importance.

There will be more than 20 departmental sessions in Atlantic City during convention week.

President C. D. A. Grasse of the Lowell club has not yet received programs of the coming annual session of the "Ad" men, but due announcements and distributions will be made when they appear.

DINNER FROCK

A Paris dinner frock of unusual chic is of rose crepe trimmed with gray monkey fur. The fur is applied about the waist and gives the effect of a long fringed peplem.

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Like buying a horse, if you pay a low price you don't get much of a horse; the same way with food. We are trying to sell our food at a fair price, so you will buy it and give us a profit. The more we sell, the cheaper we can sell it—and we both gain.

GROCERIES
AT REDUCED PRICES

Overstocks increase the cost of doing business. Our policy of supplying quality at low prices compels us to have the whole line sell equally. To anyone who uses the items listed below, now is the time to buy. Prices return to normal when stock is reduced. Buy now!

30c Heinz Ketchup.......24¢
15c Black Satin Stove Polish, 10¢
25c Kleanall ....19¢
10c Ken Washing Powder...6¢
35c Jar Fancy Figs......25¢
33c Plum Pudding.......25¢
15c Py Lemon ....10¢
13c D. C. Pie Filling........8¢
4c Herbox Chicken Cubes, 2½¢ Each
17c Sunmaid Raisins, large size, 12¢
39c Hatchet Pineapple....30¢
20c Hatchet Maine Corn...16¢
35c Wales Pure Jelly.....30¢
59c Canton Ginger........39¢
6c Lava Soap ....5¢
7c Lifebuoy Soap.........5¢
23c Sunnyside Farm Jelly, 16¢
23c Parker Orange Marmalade, 17¢
15c Grandee Olive Butter, 11¢
13c Heinz Tomato Soup....9¢
13c Glass Jar Baked Beans, 7½¢
25c Snider's Baked Beans, 17¢
25c Kater Meat Paste....18¢
33c Certo ....25¢
40c Cross & Black Marmalade, 33¢
15c Square Cocoa, ½-lb. tin, 12¢
7c Star Soap ....5¢
6c Swift's Borax Soap, 4 for 15¢
14c Cream Corn Starch...10¢
13c Large Ivory Soap....10¢
35c Hatchet Peaches.....28¢
6c Evaporated Milk......4½¢
14c Puddine ....10¢
10c Lipton's Jelly Powder, 6¢
35c Armour's Grape Juice, 23¢
12c Jiffy Jell ....8¢
18c Good Value Vanilla..14¢
$1.10 Sunkist Bread Flour, 99¢
8c Blue Rose Rice, lb. .....6¢
15c Silver Floss Sauerkraut, 12½¢

REMEMBER
ALL FIRST QUALITY

Fresh Pork, 12½c lb.
A Trifle Heavy but Good

Legs of Lamb — Small Genuine Springer, lb... 35c; Large Genuine Springer, lb... 30c

SIRLOIN ROAST, lb. .... 35¢
Cuts from our Finest Beef

Legs of VEAL — Fancy Milk Fed Veals, lb...... 23c; Fresh Native Veals, lb...... 18c

FRESH KILLED TURKEYS Finest Quality, lb. 47c

Boneless POT ROASTS, lb............12¢

Finest Milk Fed CHICKENS, lb......39¢

Fresh Western EGGS, doz..........33¢

Elgin Creamery BUTTER, lb........55¢

Packed in Sanitary Pkgs., LARD, lb...16¢

Fresh Assorted CHOCOLATES, lb....33¢

Whole Jumbo Salted PEANUTS, lb...29¢

Chocolate Caramel KISSES, lb.......19¢

BAKERY DEPT.

Hot Cross Buns	25c	Hot Baked Beans, Qt.	25c
Maple Marshmallow Rolls	20c	Hot Brown Bread	10c
Parker House Rolls	16c	Supreme Milk Bread	10c
Fresh Rye Bread	12½c	Fresh Baked Cookies, Doz.	15c
Fresh Dark Fruit Cake, lb.	33c	Whipped Cream Pies	49c
Our Special Pound Cake, Loaf........	50c	Apple or Covered Pies	20c

We Can Make Any SPECIAL CAKES FOR BIRTHDAYS OR WEDDINGS

Fresh Orange or Banana LAYER CAKE Something New 40c

FAIRBURN'S VEGETABLES

RED RIPE TOMATOES, lb.......	19c	WHITE CAULIFLOWER, lb....	10c	ICEBERG LETTUCE	10c
		NEW BUNCH CARROTS	7½c	NEW CABBAGE, lb.	9c
		SWEET POTATOES, 4 lbs....	15c	FRESH GREEN PEAS, lb....	33c
WASHED SPINACH, Pk.	25c	FRESH ASPARAGUS	59c	FRESH MUSHROOMS, lb....	65c

THE MEN'S SHOP Is on the Street Floor

The Bon Marché DRY GOODS CO.

Mail and Telephone Orders Given Careful Attention

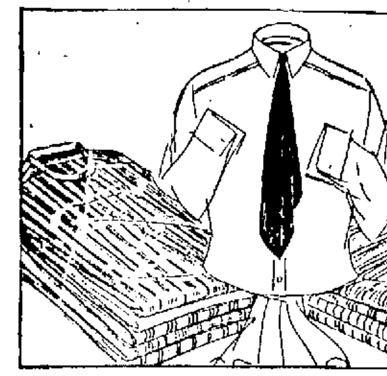
Men's and Boys' Furnishings for Easter

MEN'S SHIRTS

WHITE MERCERIZED CHEVIOT SHIRTS with collar attached, $2.50

FINE QUALITY WOVEN MADRAS $1.50

WHITE ENGLISH BROADCLOTH SHIRTS with satin stripes, $3.50



MEN'S SHIRTS

WHITE SILK STRIPES AND WHITE MERCERIZED CHEVIOT $2.50

SILK MIXTURES AND ALL SILK SHIRTS... $4.50 to $7.50

SILK STRIPE MADRAS, $2.00 and $3.00

MEN'S PAJAMAS—In all the desirable plain colors.............. $2, $2.50, $3, $5

MEN'S HICKOK BELTS with initial buckles, ranging in price from $1.50 to $3.50

Get your Victrola for Easter

Come in and let us play for you a beautiful Easter song service by such great artists as Caruso, Homer, McCormack, Harrold and others. While you're here select the Victrola model you would like to own. We can arrange terms of payment.

Why put it off again? Let us send you your Victrola to day!

TERMS AS LOW AS $1.00 PER WEEK

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Also Headquarters for GULBRANSEN PLAYER PIANOS

BOYS' CLOTHING

A Complete Line of Boys' Junior Suits, Balkan, Oliver Twist, Valentino and Middy styles, in fine wool, jersey and Argentine Tweeds, $4.95, $5.95, $6.95

"Penrod" High Grade Sailor Suits, $10.50, $11.95

Large and extensive line of Boys' Caps, in fancy mixtures, tweeds and polo cloth, 95¢, $1.45, $1.95

Boys' Rain Coats $3.50, $5.50

Hats to match........ 75¢

Special Double Texture Rain Coats $3.95

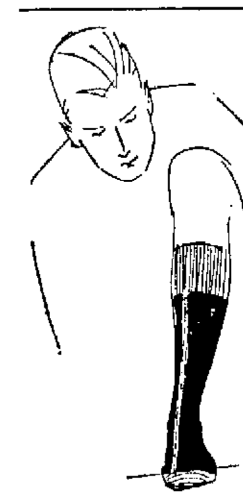
PENROD HIGH GRADE TWO-PANT SUITS, in fine wool cashmeres, in fancy tweeds, sizes 8 to 18. Prices range from $11.95, $14.95, $19.50, $21.50

BOYS' TOP COATS, in wool tweeds and polo cloths. Prices ranging from.............. $8.95, $11.95, $14.95

SPECIAL STURDY ALL WOOL TWO-PANT SCHOOL SUITS, in tweeds and dark mixtures, sizes 8 to 18...... $9.95

Street Floor

MEN'S HOSIERY



Fine Cotton Socks in black, cordovan and gray .... 25¢

Tripletoe Silk Lisle Socks, all colors .... 50¢

Shawknit Fibre Silk Socks, all colors .... 50¢

Silk Mixed Socks, all colors, pr. 65¢

Phoenix All Silk Socks, all colors .... $1.00 and $1.50

Other Silk Hose, in plain and fancy mixtures, $1.25, $2.50, $2.85

MEN'S NECKWEAR

Fibre Silk Knit Ties .... 50¢
Silk and Wool Crepes $1.00
Wearplus Ties .... $1.00 and $1.50
Other well known makes of Ties........ $1.00 and $2.00

VERY LITTLE FOOD NOW ADULTERATED

WASHINGTON, March 23—Only a small percentage of the great volume of food that enters interstate and foreign commerce is now adulterated or misbranded, said a statement today by the department of agriculture's bureau of chemistry, which is charged with enforcement of the Federal Food and Drugs Act.

"The forms of adulteration most frequently found nowadays affect the pocketbook more often than the health," said the statement.

"Too much water, the cheapest of all adulterants, had been found recently in sauerkraut, canned tomatoes, butter, flour, oysters, canned clams and canned shrimp, and made the basis of prosecutions and seizures. Perhaps one of the most persistent forms of adulteration with which we deal is the sale of cheaper vegetable oils as olive oil."

Speculation On Profits

There was much speculation in Wall Street today as to the profits of Clarence Saunders, president of the Piggly Wiggly Stores, Inc., and his associates in the corner of the class A stock.

Experienced traders estimated his paper profits from $2,000,000 to $7,500,000. Saunders' main problem, according to these men, will be to find a market for the [illegible] shares he bought in the open market.

E. W. Bradford, New York representative of Saunders, said a large number of [illegible] before 3 p. m. yesterday to make a settlement at the stipulated price of $150 a share. There is still a large short interest outstanding, he added, and he insisted that the price of $250, set by Mr. Saunders in his ultimatum from Memphis, as the price after 3 p. m. yesterday, would be demanded.

STEAMER TEXAN STILL AGROUND

BLOCK ISLAND, R. I., March 23.—The steamship Texan aground off Clay Head remained hard and fast today and arrangements were made to lighten part of her cargo for the Pacific coast. The coastguard cutter Acushnet came up through the fog to stand by and with the pall lifting today, it was expected that an effort would be made to float her.

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FUNERALS

WALSH—The funeral of Miss Bridget M. Walsh took place this morning at 8 o'clock from her late home, 68 Willow street, and was largely attended by relatives and friends. The funeral cortege proceeded to the Immaculate Conception church, where at 9 o'clock a funeral high mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Owen McQuaid, O.M.I. The choir sang the Gregorian chant, the solos being sustained by Mrs. Hugh Walker and Mr. Charles Smith. Mrs. Hugh Walker presided at the organ. There was a profusion of beautiful floral and numerous spiritual offerings. The bearers were Messrs. Luke Walsh; Michael Walsh, Patrick Callahan, John Brett, Frank O'Brien and James Reynolds. The body was placed in the receiving tomb in St. Patrick's cemetery and the committal prayers were read in St. Bridget's chapel by Rev. Fr. McQuaid, O.M.I. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons.

KERR—The funeral of John R. Kerr, a member of Battery F, during the World war, took place yesterday afternoon from the Funeral church, 236 Westford street. Attending the services, which were conducted by Rev. Appleton Grannis, rector of St. Anne's Episcopal church, were a number of his former associates in the battery, and this delegation acted as an escort at the funeral. The body was placed on the caisson of Battery F and with the military escort was taken to the Edson cemetery, where "Taps" was sounded and a salute to their departed comrade was fired by members of the battery. The bearers were John M. King, Joseph A. Landry, Daniel L. Gray, Joseph T. Dussault, Jefferson Howard and Robert Petterson, all members of Battery F. Burial was in the family lot, the arrangements being in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

ROBINSON—The funeral of Mrs. Louisa Robinson took place yesterday afternoon from Saunders' Funeral home, 217 Appleton street, and was largely attended. The services were conducted by Rev. Benjamin W. Harris, formerly of this city, but now of Bradford, N. H. There were many floral tributes. The bearers were John B. Billings, Charles Taylor, Walter and Roland Robinson. The body was placed in the receiving tomb at the Edson cemetery, where the committal service was read by Rev. Mr. Harris. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker William H. Saunders.

ABBOTT—The funeral of Mrs. Adelaide O. Abbott took place from her home, 94 Princeton street, yesterday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. Joseph P. Kennedy, pastor of the Highland Union M. E. church. Appropriate selections were sung by the Mendelssohn male quartet. The floral offerings were numerous. The bearers were Warren F. Sanborn, George H. Taylor, Eugene C. Dunbar, Wesley M. Wilder, Ernest E. Shelters and George F. Wagner. Burial was in the family lot in the Lowell cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Edgar H. Douglas, under the direction of Undertaker George W. Healey.

OLSSON—Funeral services for Marion F. Olsson were held at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl A. Olsson, 152 Powell street, yesterday afternoon, Rev. A. B. Clark, pastor of Chelmsford Street Baptist church, officiating. Mrs. A. W. Streeter sang appropriate selections. The flowers were numerous. The body was placed in the receiving tomb in Edson cemetery, where the committal service was read by Rev. Mr. Clarke. The funeral was under the direction of Undertaker W. Herbert Blake.

MATULEWICZ—The funeral of John Matulewicz took place at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon from his parents' home, 30 North street, and at 2 o'clock funeral services were held at the Holy Trinity church in High street, Rev. Alexander Ogonowski officiating. The body was placed in the receiving tomb at St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertaker Joseph Urbanek had charge of funeral arrangements.

TROD—The funeral of Najib Trod, son of Omar and Annie (Mustapha) Trod, took place yesterday afternoon from the home of his parents, 146 Cushing street. On account of the nature of the disease, burial was private in Westlawn cemetery. Arrangements were in charge of Funeral Director Joseph Albert.

MONTH'S MIND MASS

O'KEEFE—There will be a month's mind mass celebrated at the Immaculate Conception church Monday morning at 8 o'clock for the repose of the soul of Timothy J. O'Keefe.

DEATHS

CONNORS—Michael J. Connors, a well known resident of Lowell, died yesterday in Somerville, N. J. He was the son of Daniel and Bridget (McCarthy) Connors of 87 Howard street, this city, and besides his parents, he leaves one brother, Daniel F., of the Lowell fire department; two sisters, Mrs. Catherine Connors and Mrs. Geo. Demers, and three nephews and three nieces. He was a member of the Fraternal Order of Eagles. The body will be brought to this city by Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

LARCOM—Fred A. Larcom, a native of Chelmsford, died suddenly at his home in Waltham Wednesday, aged 70 years. He is survived by a daughter, Ruth, who made her home with him.

SEFTON—James Sefton, a well known resident of this city and formerly of Arlington, died yesterday, after a brief illness, at the Lowell Corporation hospital. He leaves many relatives in Arlington. The body was removed to the rooms of Undertaker William A. Mack, 70 Gorham street.

VEUILLETTE—George, infant son of George and Laura (Fleury) Veuillette, aged 2 years, 9 months and 26 days, died this morning at the home of his parents, 41 Ward street. Owing to the cause of death, burial took place this afternoon at 4 o'clock in St. Joseph's cemetery. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers Amedee Archambault & Sons.

FISHER—Addie F. Fisher, sister of Mary J. Fisher, died yesterday afternoon at the Chelmsford street hospital. She was taken suddenly ill at her home, 99 East Merrimack street, on Wednesday of last week, and her death comes as a surprise to her acquaintances. She was an attendant of the First Baptist church.

KOUTROUBIS—Mrs. Koutroubis, wife of George Koutroubis and formerly of this city, died yesterday in Washington, D. C., aged 77 years. Besides her husband, she leaves one son, William Koutroubis. The body will be brought to this city by Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

SEFTIN—James Seftin, a well-known resident of this city, passed away Wednesday at the Corporation hospital after a brief illness. He leaves relatives in Arlington, Mass. The body was removed to the rooms of Undertaker William A. Mack, 70 Gorham st.

FUNERAL NOTICES

NELSON—Died, in this city, March 21, at 15 Madison street, Thomas H. Nelson, aged 83 years. Funeral services will be held at Saunders' funeral home, 217 Appleton street, on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends are respectfully invited. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker William H. Saunders.

BARKER—Died, in this city, March 22, at her home, 36 Crosby street, Mrs. Elizabeth Ann Barker, aged 76 years, 10 months and 7 days. Funeral services will be held at Saunders' funeral home, 217 Appleton st., on Sunday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. Friends are respectfully invited. Undertaker William H. Saunders in charge.

MONAHAN—Died, March 21, Michael J. Monahan. Funeral will take place on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock from his late home, 36 Linden street. Services will be held at St. Peter's church at 8 o'clock. On Monday morning at 8 o'clock a solemn high mass of requiem will be sung for the repose of his soul. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons.

CARD OF THANKS

We, the undersigned, wish to express our thanks to our relatives, friends and neighbors for their acts of kindness, words of sympathy and beautiful floral offerings during the illness and death of our dear daughter and sister, Gertrude. We deeply appreciate their kindness and will always hold them in loving and grateful remembrance.

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MR. AND MRS. WALTER WHITE,
MR. AND MRS. JOHN CHRISTIE.

THE SUN IS ON SALE AT THE NORTH STATION, BOSTON

PHILA. BANKER IS INDICTED FOR MURDER

PHILADELPHIA, March 23—Henry G. Brock, Philadelphia banker, yesterday was indicted on charges of murder and involuntary manslaughter in connection with the killing of three persons by an automobile as they stepped off a street car here several weeks ago. The automobile, according to witnesses, was running at high speed when it crashed into the three persons and sped away.

Brock, with his disabled automobile, was found four blocks from the scene of the accident. When arrested he denied he was involved in the accident.

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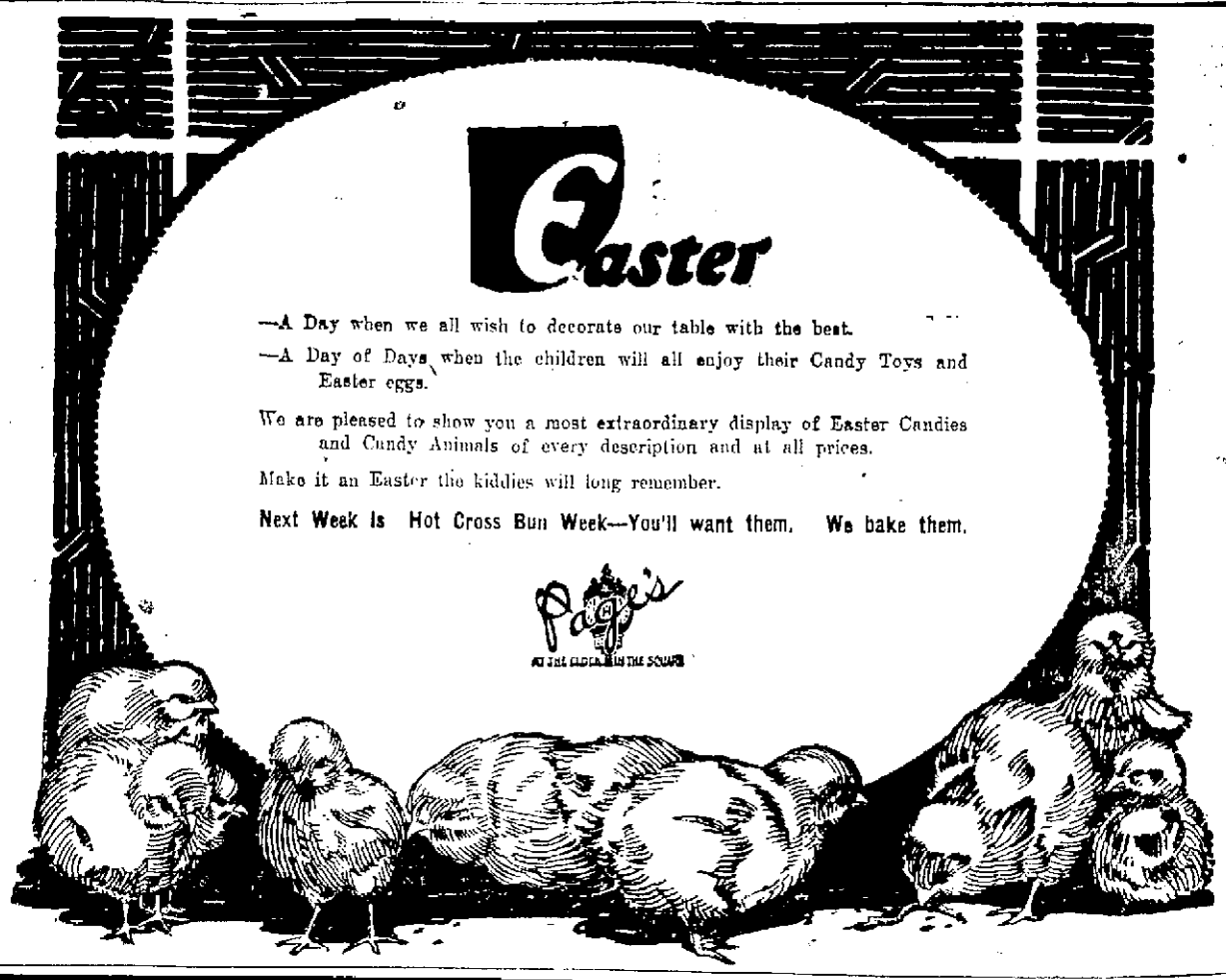

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WAS FOUND NOT GUILTY

Finding for Defendant in Unusual Case Heard in District Court

Michael M. Quealy was found not guilty by Judge Fisher in the district court yesterday afternoon on a complaint charging him with wilful and intentional failure to provide proper heat for tenants in the Parkview Chambers at 43 Nesmith street. The case opened yesterday morning, but owing to the large number of government witnesses, the verdict was not reached until 3.55 in the afternoon.

The complaint was brought by Henry J. Boot, a tenant in the apartments, who contended that his rooms were inadequately heated during the major portion of the winter. Other occupants of the building testified in the same vein, all stating that they had complained to the landlord on divers occasions about the lack of proper heat.

James Morris, the first witness for the defence, said his particular apartment had been heated comfortably enough for his wife and himself, who were among the first tenants to occupy the apartments.

Richard Charles McGrath also stated that he had nothing to complain of as regards heat. Asked if he were satisfied with existing conditions, Mr. McGrath replied that "he could not complain." After considerable questioning, he said he was satisfied.

The janitor, Mr. Arthur J. Brooks, of 56 Pond street, told the court that he has been janitor at the "Parkview" for a period of one year. He said the boiler was cared for regularly every morning and that he kept it well supplied with coal at all times.

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Federal agents seize Brooklyn warehouse with millions in bonded liquor and arrest two brothers in what they declare to be great withdrawal plot.

SUMMARY OF EARLY MORNING A. P. NEWS

German Chancellor Cuno at Munich says passive resistance to France and Belgium must be sustained in all circumstances.

Carlyon Bellairs, British naval expert, appeals to Admiralty to counteract what he describes as false propaganda in United States about British naval ambitions.

Moscow doctors declare that complete restoration of Premier Lenine's health, is possible that his disabilities are fundamentally due to diseased condition of blood vessels.

Soviet officials met sharp resistance in attempt to seize valuables in Catholic churches of Petrograd, testimony reveals at Moscow trial of head of Roman Catholic church in Russia.

Herbert Hoover in letter made public at New York says it is a hopeless illusion that flow of prosperity to Russia would follow recognition of soviet by United States.

Clarence Saunders' ultimatum to speculators' trap in Piggly Wiggly corner that they would have to settle at $150 a share fails to arouse great excitement in Wall street.

President Harding rides through streets of Titusville, a tiny Florida village, in shiny new Ford.

Mrs. John W. Weeks, taken ill on yacht off Georgia coast, is being taken to Washington on special train and her condition is reported improved.

Kentucky attorneys acting for Peabody syndicate of Chicago, confirm reports that Henry Ford has bought about 120,000 acres of coal lands in Eastern Kentucky.

St. Paul hockey club won from Boston A.A. last night. Score 2 to 1.

GOLD STOCKINGS

London is getting all excited about some new stockings of gold tissue which make you look exactly as if you'd been paddling about in a tub of gold paint.

TEXTILE SCHOOL SHOW CAST ACTIVE

The members of the cast of the Textile school show, "Frinstance," are working long and hard to bring the play up to perfection, and Holly Winkfield, faculty instructor of the play, is whipping them into line in good shape. Production of the show is only a month away and strenuous rehearsals are planned for the next two or three weeks. "Frinstance" is a musical comedy and was written by Ed. Fowle, a member of the graduating class of the school.

The freshmen of the school are making plans now for an Easter dance to be held in the auditorium of the school on April 7. Harry Swain is chairman of the committee in charge and he has arranged for several features that will be a surprise to the freshmen. The proceeds of this dance will go to the athletic fund.

Work on the "Pickout," the annual publication of the senior class, is going along smoothly under the capable direction of Charles Kendall, editor, and the assistant editors.

BILLERICA GRANGE

At a largely attended meeting of Billerica grange held in Gardner Parker hall, Billerica Centre last evening, the first and second degrees were conferred on eight candidates. The meeting was presided over by Master Pearl R. Kinney and routine business was transacted. It was announced that the third and fourth degrees will be conferred on a large class on the evening of April 5.

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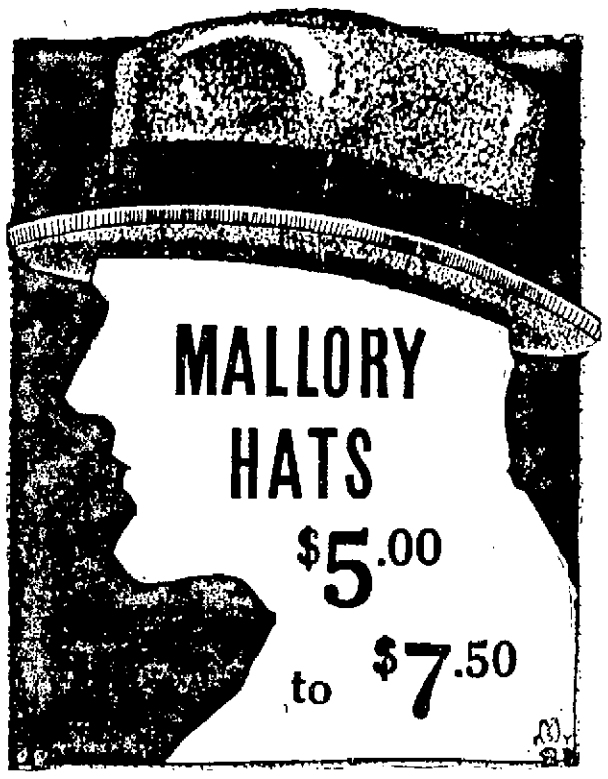

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RED CROSS ASSISTS RUSSIANS IN CHINA

SHANGHIA, March 23.—Large numbers of destitute Russians fled into China during the past winter. Today their situation is serious, and some of them face starvation. Relief measures have been undertaken by various organizations, including the American Red Cross, which has appropriated a preliminary sum of $25,000 to give immediate succor.

It was estimated in February that nearly 60,000 Russians had come into China, Manchuria and Korea, and that probably 25 per cent of this total were entirely resitute. Reports by the American Red Cross from consuls and other officials indicated that a large proportion of the refugees were scattered through Manchuria, with colonies at Kirin, Mukden and Hunchun. In Manchuria the relief work is under the direction of Morgan Palmer.

Meanwhile, various agencies were called on to care for the growing number of Russian expatriates in Shanghai. The number here was considerably swelled early in the year by the arrival of 16 vessels, the fleet under Admiral Stark, on which more than a thousand Russians had fled from Vladivostok when the Red forces took over control of that port.

In Shanghai permissision to land was denied by the Chinese authorities, but nevertheless several hundred persons from the ships contrived to get ashore before the vessels sailed for Manila. They included about 350 Russian orphan boys who were quartered by charitable organizations in two huge unfurnished houses.

At the present time, with the exception of the Japanese, the Russians outnumber all other foreigners in Shanghai. It is estimated that they total 5,500, half of whom are wholly destitute.

TRIPLE COMBINATION

Complying with a vote taken at the recent town meeting, the board of fire engineers for the town of Dracut has purchased a White triple combination fire truck of 600 gallons capacity. The new machine as soon as delivered, will be placed in the Centre fire station.

HONEYBEES ARE SOMETIMES LAZY

WASHINGTON, March 23.—To speak of honeybees loafing may seem paradoxical, but the alleged industry of honeybees is something of a myth, declares E. F. Phillips, department of agriculture apiculturist.

"The average worker bee in the hands of a poor beekeeper makes only a few trips a day for nectar," said Mr. Phillips recently. "When the bees are rearing a brood the beekeeper must manage the hive so finished work is either removed or properly placed. Otherwise loafing will result. Finished work near the brood slows down field work. Proper conditions within the hive cause the bees to make additional trips to the fields, and thus to increase the honey crop."

Upwards of 1,000,000 people in the United States keep bees, it is estimated, and bee colonies number about 8,000,000. In spring these colonies average about 15,000 bees each and after brood-rearing they number 75,000 or more worker bees. Honey production adds about $50,000,000 annually to the wealth of the nation and provides a valuable addition to the diet of the people.

The idea that bees work for nothing and board themselves is quite erroneous, according to Mr. Phillips. During the main honey-flow the efficient beekeeper must be on the job daily and hourly, as highly skillful work is required of him. The modern beekeeper finds bees more productive than did his predecessor, yet he earns all he gets, Mr. Phillips believes, and in these days of low honey prices he earns more than he actually receives.

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GEN. GREENE SAYS TOO MUCH LAW A MENACE

MONTPELIER, March 23.—One of the greatest dangers to the country is too much law and too much tinkering with the law, United States Senator Frank L. Greene said yesterday at the joint assembly of the legislature.

"Vermont's problem is that of governing a population of a middle-sized city sprear out over a site of 10,000 city spread over a state of 10,000 square miles," he said. "As a result the state has to carry a tremendous overhead."

Lieut. Gov. Franklin S. Billings, who presided, called attention to the facts that although Senator Greene had left school at the age of 13 that he had been successful in newspaper, railroad, military and political fields. Senator Greene, who was formerly editor of the St. Albans Messenger, referred in his address to his 30 years at the press table in the house.

Gov. Proctor yesterday signed bills prohibiting the use of machine guns in hunting and imposing a tax of one cent a gallon on gasoline, effective April 1.

The senate yesterday passed a joint resolution seeking recovery for Vermont of a solid silver service given the battleship Vermont by the legislature in 1904. The battleship has now been condemned to the scrap heap and the service is understood to be in storage at San Francisco.

The house yesterday reconsidered its action Wednesday in killing a bill for a state income tax, passing the measure by a 10-vote margin. A tax of 8 per cent. on intangibles and of two per cent. on other income is provided.

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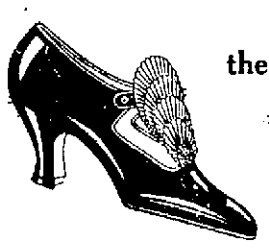

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See Merrimack Street Windows

DRILL AT ARMORY

The battalion headquarters of the 102d Field Artillery held a drill last night at the Armory under command of Lieut. Ariston K. Barrows. The men are training now so that they will be prepared for the work before them at their summer training camp. Word has been received that the camp will be at West Barnstable this year as it has been in the past two years. Recruits are needed for the headquarter detachment to bring it up to war strength, as this is necessary before going to camp, and men with technical training are needed. The opportunity open for enlistment now is timely, as the detachment will soon be making final preparation for their departure to camp.

FELL FROM LADDER

Martin Kirrane of 32 Crosby street, employed by the Scully Awning Co., fell from a ladder while working on the awning of the Gagnon Co. late yesterday afternoon and sustained lacerations of the forehead and a couple of fractured ribs. The ambulance removed him to St. John's hospital, where it was stated that he was resting comfortably and that his condition was not considered serious.

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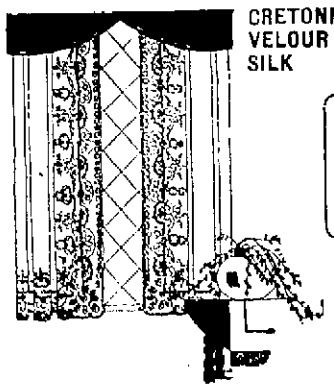

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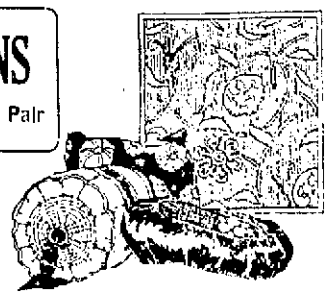

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DRACUT MAN HAS PLAN TO RELIEVE TRAFFIC CONGESTION IN THE HEART OF LOWELL

Lowell's street railway traffic system involving a maze of intersecting lines, obliques, short curves and numerous cross-overs in the square neighborhood, have formed a sizable problem for students of the game of transportation-handling for many years, even outside the realms of corporation confab parlors and executive roll-top groups.

More than one Lowell citizen, primed with only the best intentions in the world and anxious to be of service to the city and all its inhabitants, particularly including car commuters, has endeavored by hook or crook in many devious explanatory ways to solve the problem of the big square street railway car traffic-handling problems.

Some old-timers who have diligently figured, mapped out, interlined and criss-crossed quaint designs of traffic despatching on home reserve wrapping paper and what not, and then eagerly carried the self-concocted plans to certain city officials from the mayor down, and also local street railway executives, begging for consideration and formal approval, have gone by the boards and given it up as a bad job.

You can't keep Charles Perham of Tyngsboro down, however. Mr. Perham, who owns and cultivates a valuable farm out on the far end of Varnum avenue, is greatly interested in Lowell, does his shopping here, attends farmers' Institute meetings here and generally takes a cordial and most sincere interest in Lowell and its inhabitants and doings.

The Tyngsboro farmer, when he isn't attending to farm duties, spends his leisure hours trying to solve traffic problems that are to be found in Lowell's busiest central point out in the big square and nearby street territories. For many moons this man has been considering the question with all its merits and demerits weighed carefully and carefully checked. To-day he feels almost certain that he has the necessary poultices warranted to bring relief to a discouraged, hopeless set of male and female car commuters forced to board and leave cars in the square districts. And no surgeons will be needed if the Perham poultices are carefully and promptly applied.

A few days ago he appeared in the chief executive offices at city hall and inquired for Mayor John J. Donovan. Mr. Perham carried under one arm a good-sized roll of paper upon which he had carefully drawn the necessary lines to indicate the several busy highways located in the so-called "Merrimack square central zone area," and a few more lines showing the general lay-out of the local street railway tracks now used by the Eastern Massachusetts corporation lines regularly when it doesn't snow too hard.

The unrolling of the home-made blue prints before the eyes of Mayor Donovan and the private secretary club, was revealing in one important point—proof positive of extraordinary labor and detailed study and design backed by intense sincerity in order to make the newly arranged street railway junction lay-out chart with Perham revisions, both catchy to the eye and self-explanatory.

It was a linear arrangement of lines, curves and crossings that, when fully understood, indicated a brand new method of routeing electric cars through Merrimack square in arrivals and departures, the object being to relieve or eliminate altogether many annoying and time-wasting features of the present system of car routeing in and about the general square area and adjoining streets and professedly insuring more prompt movements of all cars through the central district with less crowding of passengers in rush hours, less turmoil and anxiety and, all told, a smoother system of operation when considered from the angles of commuters desiring better transit conditions through the crowded square zone.

The mayor's office carefully inspected the Perham car routeing plans and listened to his suggestions and the meeting, wholly informal in its kind, was then adjourned without day, the plans being left in the meantime with the mayor's office archives' guardians for future perusal and probable report. Mr. Perham waited about a week, decided that dust might collect on his pet traffic improvement plans, and yesterday walked to city hall and replevined his property.

Other resources in the municipal building were at his disposal for enlisting interest in the proposition, however, and as nothing definite was coming from the mayoralty office regarding approval or disapproval of the street car re-routeing layout, Mr. Perham withdrew his plans and drawings, climbed another flight of stairs and entered the office suite of City Engineer Stephen J. Kearney.

The city engineer received Mr. Perham very cordially, looked over the Perham plan of campaign that is being carried on without salary and no hope of ultimate reward and none desired, and declared that the novelty of the rearranged service lines was really new to him and that they would bear looking into further.

Mr. Perham would re-route all incoming cars coming over Central street from Tower's corner through Prescott street, making the swing through the square district on the outward bound track on Merrimack street and then turning again onto Central and coming down that street instead of going up the thoroughfare and making the square turn and down Prescott street, as is now the custom.

Mr. Perham says that cars can be moved faster through the square if the Gorham street, Billerica, Middlesex street, Chelmsford street, Westford street and North Chelmsford street railway cars are re-routed, when entering the city, through Prescott street and around the loop to the center of the square and back down Central street.

BILLERICA'S LIGHTING CONTRACT

The matter of lighting contract for the town of Billerica has again been deferred for action for another month. It will be remembered that the electric lighting contract between the town and the Lowell Electric Light corporation was thoroughly discussed at the annual meeting and owing to the fact that the company was asking an increase of $1.80 a light, the matter was referred to the board of selectmen. A conference between the town officials and Manager Hunnewell of the lighting company was held a couple of days ago and after a lengthy discussion, Mr. Hunnewell asked for further time and suggested another meeting with the town officials next month, which proved agreeable to all.

MORE ONE-MAN CARS

The public trustees of the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway company have placed an order for fifty new double truck cars of the one-man type at a cost of $580,000. Deliveries will be made in October and November and the cars will be distributed among several of the fifteen operating districts.

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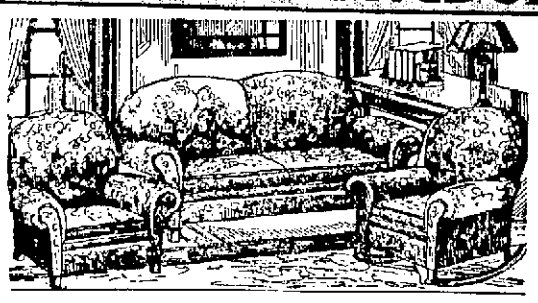

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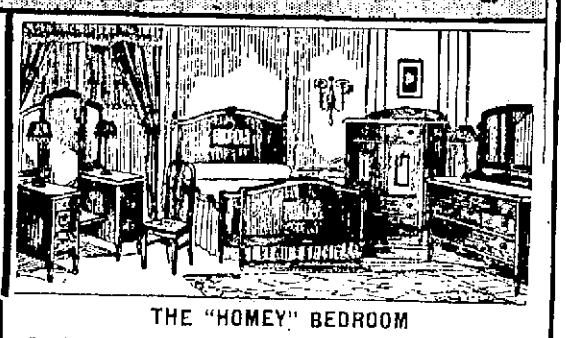

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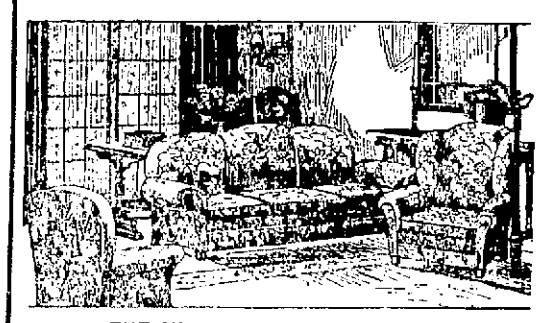

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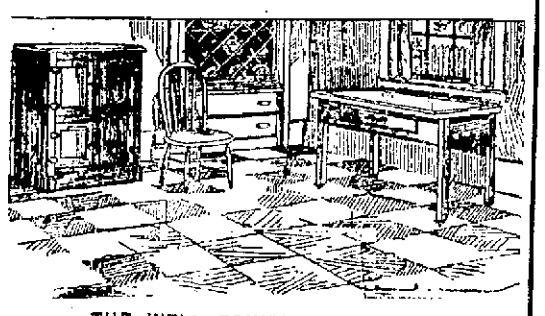

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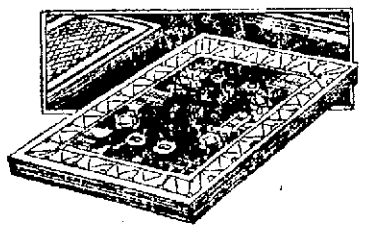

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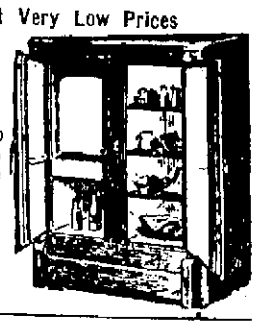

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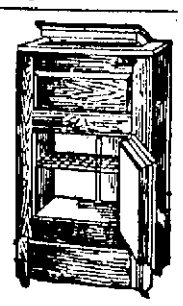

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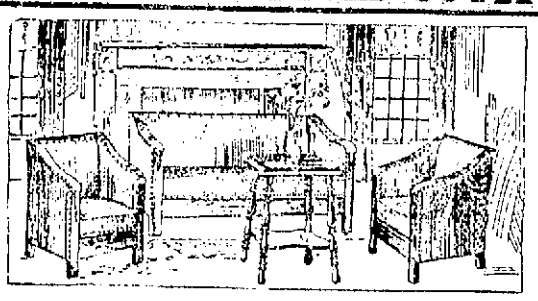

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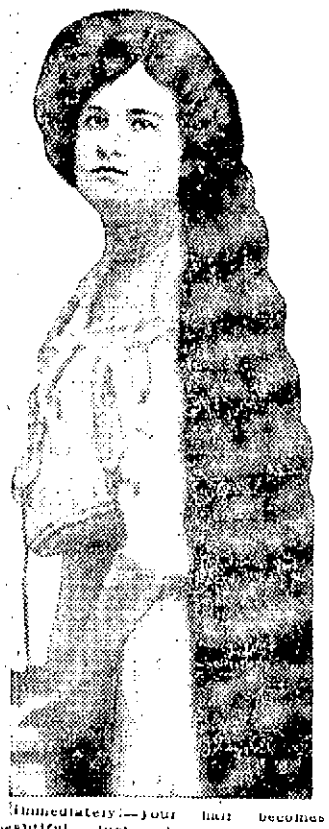

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Pierre Monteux and the great orchestra of 100 musicians will also present the wondrous "unfinished" symphony of Schubert, which no other music excels in lyrical beauty, Berlioz' "Roman carnival" overture, and Chabrier's rhapsody "Espana," based upon characteristic Spanish dance rhythms gleaned by the French composer in the dance halls of Spain and set for the utmost resources of a modern symphony orchestra. There will be three excerpts from the music dramas of Richard Wagner—one of which is particularly appropriate to the season—the "Good Friday Spell" from the third act of "Parsifal." The others will be the prelude to the third act of "Lohengrin" and the ride of the Valkyries from "the Valkyrie." The closing number will be Tchaikovsky's overture "1812," which depicts in striking and impressive fashion the victory of the Russian hosts over the invading army of Napoleon in that year.

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Veterans of the Spanish war and members of the ladies' auxiliaries are looking forward to the 24th annual encampment of the department of Massachusetts which will be held in Cambridge April 17, 18 and 19. Leslie F. Hunting camp and Estella Hatch Weston auxiliary of that city, have arranged the following program.

The encampment will open Tuesday evening, April 17, in historic Sanders theatre at Harvard university where the delegates and their friends will be given an entertainment by Leslie F. Hunting camp and Estella Hatch Weston auxiliary. Following the entertainment there will be a buffet lunch in memorial hall, after which the delegates will return to Sanders theatre for the campfire.

The formal opening of the encampment will come on Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock and will take place in the Elks' ballroom, Central square. Vice-President Calvin Coolidge, Congressman Dallinger, Governor Cox, Mayor Quinn and other dignitaries will be present and speak and will also attend the opening of the auxiliary which will be held at the same hour in the American legion headquarters, Central square. Sessions will continue up to 5 o'clock when Mayor Quinn and the city council will tender a reception and luncheon to the delegates at city hall lasting until 8 o'clock. At 9 o'clock the grand military ball will be held in the state armory on Massachusetts avenue terminating at midnight. At midnight the military order of the serpent will hold a grand crawl in the quarters of the American legion, Central square, with a band concert and mock initiation in the square.

On Thursday, April 19, there will be regular sessions of both organizations, continuing up to 2 o'clock when there will be adjournment for the military parade in which veterans of will take part. Prominent in this event will be members of the first company to volunteer for service in the civil war and members of the first companies to be called from Cambridge in the Spanish war. After the parade the convention will resume business and sit until final adjournment.

Cambridge citizens and officials are co-operating with the camp and auxiliary to make this event a success and ment, city hall, Cambridge, will provided for visiting delegates. The housing committee for the encampment, city hall, Cambridge, will provide all who apply with rooms. It is expected that over a thousand delegates will attend from the various camps and auxiliaries of the state.

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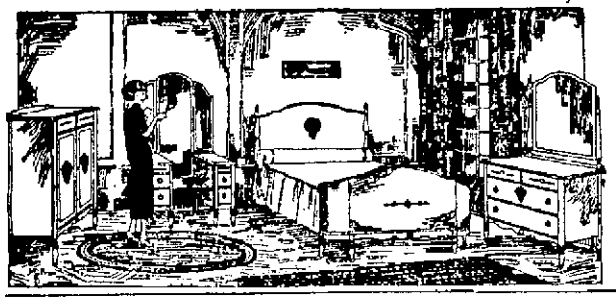

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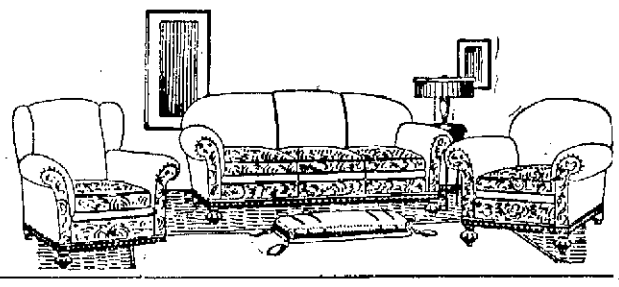

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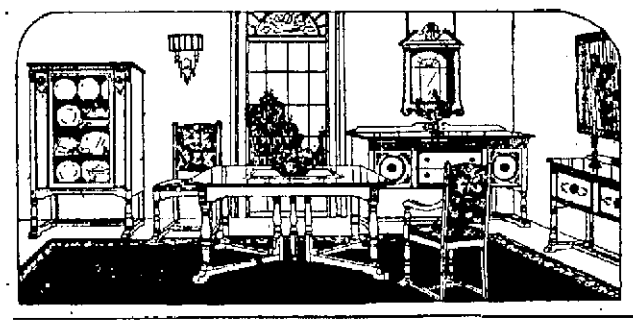

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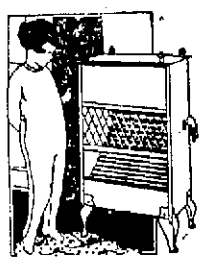

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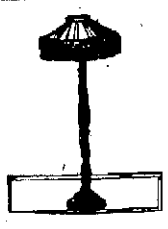

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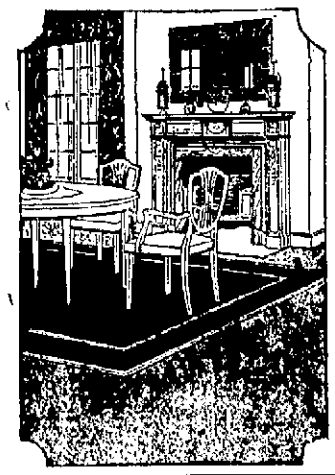

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DR. NANSEN WRITES VIEWS ON RUSSIA

LONDON, March 23—In the first of a series of articles in the Westminster Gazette, Dr. Fridtjof Nansen records the impressions he received in conversations with Russian leaders at Moscow during February.

He says that the question of most concern to the officials was Russia's reconstruction and the restoration of normal economic relations with other countries. The writer quotes Trotzky as reiterating Russia's desire for peace and as pointing out that she offered to cut her army to 200,000 men if other countries would make similar reduction, but that the proposal was not accepted.

Notwithstanding the possibility of an invasion of Russia by Poland and Rumania, the Russian army, Trotzky said, has been reduced to 600,000 men, which is less than half of the standing peace time army during the Czarist regime.

Dr. Nansen quotes Trotzky as asserting that Russia's aim is disarmament and the establishment of a militia similar to that of Switzerland.

"Complete disarmament," the soviet official said, "cannot be contemplated until Europe united in a federation of states which offers the sole means of withstanding America's economic hegemony. If a general demobilization can be effected, Russia will propose an international disarmament commission."

MILLION DOLLAR LIQUOR PLOT

Authorities Arrest New York Men in Connection With Huge Conspiracy

Plan to Bootleg Liquor Withdrawn From Warehouse on Forged Permits Frustrated

NEW YORK, March 23.—A million dollar conspiracy to bootleg liquor withdrawn from bond, upon permits bearing forgeries of the name of E. C. Yellowley, acting federal prohibition director for New York state, was reported by authorities to have been frustrated last night in the seizure of the Pershing warehouse corporation's bonded warehouse.

Ralph and Charles Sabbatino, brother-owners of the warehouse, were arrested by acting Prohibition Director John A. Murphy, turned over to the police and held without bail. Bonded liquor valued at $10,000,000 had been stored in the warehouse by the department of internal revenue and the withdrawals yesterday, 50 barrels in two trucks, were to be the first of a scheme to remove $1,000,000 worth, Murphy said.

The conspirators were thwarted and the plot uncovered, prohibition authorities explained, through the pretended connivance of John A. Murphy and Lester A. Reeves, assistant prohibition directors, each of whom accepted $10,000 in the office of Director Yellowley, for liquor permits on which the forgeries were made. The money was accepted with Yellowley's approval while he was out of the city, in an endeavor to trap the men "higher up," it was stated.

On the forged permits for the interrupted withdrawals were written the name of a prominent wholesale drug company, officials of which had no conection with the fraud and were unaware of the use of the firm's name, prohibition authorities said.

Additional permits were said to have been delivered to the conspirators near Borough Hall, Brooklyn, today for $20,000 for which they were to have been privileged to withdraw 100 barrels in the name of another drug company. Prohibition officials declared the conspirators often talked of withdrawing the entire $10,000,000 worth in the warehouse if the attempt proved successful.

The barrels contained whiskey six and seven years old, valued at $2000 a barrel, it was said.

The bonded liquor was owned partly by the Sabbatino brothers and the balance was the property of various companies and individuals.

The Sabbatino brothers, who were charged with conspiracy and bribery were alleged by Murphy to be the chief movers in the plot. They were arrested in a hotel in Manhattan where Murphy lives and where they had gone, he said, to find out why he had not protected them and prevented the seizure of the warehouse.

TISBO AND HIS WFIE ARE IMPRISONED

NAPLES, March 23 (By the Associated Press).—Francesco Tisbo, the New York steamship ticket agent and banker who is under indictment in that city on grand larceny charges, was imprisoned today. His wife was also denied her freedom. The police said they found a considerable quantity of jewels in the couple's baggage.

JURY TO DECIDE FOSTER'S CASE

ST. JOSEPH'S, Mich., March 23—(By the Associated Press)—William Z. Foster, charged with violating Michigan's criminal syndicalism law by assembling the national convention last August, must face a jury's decision.

Judge Charles White today overruled a motion by Frank P. Walsh, chief counsel for Foster, that the court direct the jury to return a verdict of acquittal.

Mr. Walsh submitted that no case had been proved against Foster. He also cited court decision in Michigan and Kansas cases to sustain his position, but Judge White held there was no similarity between the legal literature cited and the present trial.

The court also held that he could not pass on the constitutionality of the Michigan law against syndicalism, and that for the purpose of this trial he would declare it constitutional.

ADMIRAL FARRAGUT CAMP ANNIVERSARY

The seventh anniversary of the founding of Admiral Farragut camp, Sons of Veterans auxiliary, 47, was observed in Memorial hall last evening with a turkey supper and entertainment. There was a large attendance at the festivities and all spent a most enjoyable evening. Mrs. Lydia Bartlett acted as toastmaster during the post prandial exercises and under her direction a most enjoyable program was given. At the close of the event a brief business session was held and routine business was transacted. The success of the affair was due to the efforts of Mrs. Lydia Bartlett and Mrs. Sarah Sawyer.

TRY A SUN CLASSIFIED AD

Let's Take a Stroll up Merrimack Street

and do a little Easter Window Shopping.

See that brown Stein-Bloch suit in the corner?—it's $45, but never mind the cost—just try to duplicate the curve of that lapel at any price!

Or that blue grey at $40—that one-button hairline stripe at $40—or that tan with two pairs of trousers at $35—and leaving out Value altogether if you can find better styles or patterns—you're a better man than we are—Gun-ga-din!

As for Topcoats—They tell us we've the best showing in town. Anyway they're selling.

Our Easter Style supremacy is as plain as day—even under plate glass at night!

STEIN-BLOCH SUITS
$40, $45 and $50

TWO-TROUSER SUITS
$30, $35 and Higher

SPRING TOPCOATS
Box or Belted, $25 to $50

D. S. O'Brien Co.

222 Merrimack Street

Fresh from the faucet!
—the filtered styles in

Men's Spring Hats

Every season there are two kinds of Spring Hats offered—one of the sort made in a hurry—to buy in a hurry and wear with regret in leisure.

Ours—well—here's how we feel about it:

Instead of figuring "A Hat's a Hat" we look ahead—at where it is going—on your head—we side-step what is left and buy what is right—we never let the dust of a last season's product at a low price get into our buying eyes.

You can see the difference here today—

Society Club Soft Hats....$5.00
Stetson Soft Hats $7.00
Caps for the Country—and
Caps for the Car. $1.50, $2

D. S. O'BRIEN CO.
222 MERRIMACK ST.

A. G. POLLARD CO.

THE STORE FOR THRIFTY PEOPLE

With Easter Here, Can Spring Be Far Behind?

Such a delightful season is this that arrives with Easter-tide, when one enjoys sniffing at fresh budding things. The Easter services take on added meaning. It makes a general awakening. It's now one directs her attention to a new wardrobe—and all the bright blossoms of the mode are here. Whatever style, whatever color, whatever material, you have but to seek in this new collection.

PRE-EASTER SUITS

$24.75 and $29.50

Of Poiret Twill, braided, embroidered and strictly tailored. The most remarkable values we have offered this season. All suits carefully tailored. Colors—navy, black and tan.

Other groups of Suits marked at
$37.50, $42.50, $49.50

BEWITCHING CAPES

FOR EASTER WEAR

$18.75 $24.75 $29.50

In fine grade Velour, Brytonia, Twill and Lustre Bolivias, lined throughout. Colors—navy, black, beaver, kit fox, batwing and sorrento.

Smart Pre-Easter Styles in

WRAPS AND COATS

Regular and extra sizes.

Here we excel in showing the most varied and the smartest array of models. Styles suitable for all types. Stunning coats of Camelette and Camels' Hair, Tweeds and Overplaids. Wraps of luxurious pile fabrics, in all the newest colorings.

COATS priced from
$14.75 to $39.50

WRAPS priced from
$24.75 to $69.50

CAPES

Of Better Grade

Fashioned in Gerona, Arabella, Lustrosa, Mandalay and Fashona. In all the new Spring colorings, including black and navy. These lovely lustrous pile fabrics are specially adapted for the new Spring cape models. Dependable crepe linings lend an added charm.

$37.50, $42.50
$47.50 and $69.50

SPRING WRAPS AND COATS

For Girls 7 to 14 Years

Hundreds of coats and wraps ready for Easter wear. Capes are popular, too.

$3.95 $4.95 $7.49
$9.75 to $18.75

THESE EASTER DRESSES

ARE UNUSUAL

These wrap-around effects, fine box pleatings, soft drapes and long straight lines are charmingly expressed in Crepe de Chines, Canton Crepes, Flat Crepes and Satin-faced Cantons. In navy, black, tan and grey.

$21.75 to $59.50

CREPE DE CHINE AND TAFFETA DRESSES

For Junior Miss—13, 15, 17 years.

They are the prettiest styles, specially designed for young girls of this age. In navy, sorrento, cocoa, lanvin and ashes of roses.

$13.75 $16.75 $18.75

Second Floor

A. G. Pollard Co.

THE STORE FOR THRIFTY PEOPLE

Rain or shine, you'll find the Lowell Guild Nurses on the job. To continue, they need money. You can help by attending the Guild Ball, April 6. Tickets on sale here.

The Accessories for the Easter Costume

Should Be Chosen With Great Care

At last Fashion has made up her fickle mind as to what we shall wear—and here you have the result of months of planning and buying—hats—shoes—stockings—blouses and gloves—the little important things that really make the mode.

SILK UNDERWEAR
Of Surpassing Charm and Color

An irresistibly lovely assortment has been assembled, beguilingly fashioned of silk, certain to send a thrill of delight through the feminine heart. New styles and novel decorative touches.

Women's Jersey Silk Vests, bodice top, white, orchid and flesh, $1.50 and $2.00

Women's Glove Silk Vests, plain and fancy striped silk bodice top, white and flesh $2.50

Women's Extra Heavy Silk Vests, flesh and white $4.25

Women's Silk Knickers, flesh and white, fancy stripe silk.. $3.25

Women's Silk Step-ins, white and flesh $3.25

Street Floor

The Easter Blouse

Oriental Colored Jacquette

Of heavy silk crepe, with silk bow sash. Especially smart with a new spring suit.

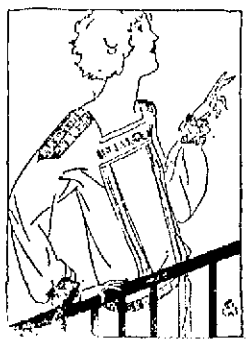
$4.95 to $10.45

Since suits are making a definite entry into spring, blouses, both costume and tailored, play an important part in completing them. Here you will find them all, whether silk or cotton.

French Voile Blouses

With attractive double frills, which has yards of Irish lace trimming, in the popular rose patterns and rows of hand drawn work.

$4.95 to $9.95



Hand Made French Voile Blouses

Feature color, round necks, with rows of Irish lace and hand drawn block work, pretty square necks in solid colors of Harding and Flame.

$3.95 to $6.75

The College Girl or Business Woman

especially prefer a **Self Striped Dimity Blouse.** Linen Blouses edged with color, also Madras tailored blouses.

$1.95 to $3.95

SECOND FLOOR

Of Course! NEW HOSIERY for Easter

When you're all dressed up, you require the loveliness of gleaming silk hose, whether they be plain, fancy woven or with graceful clocks. And here you will find them in black, white and colors. And priced so modestly too.

Women's Silk Hosiery, fashioned back, heavy at ankle, black, white, brown, navy, mist, grey and silver; worth $1.65 pair, $1.50

Women's Silk Hosiery, irregulars, silk clocked, full fashion, black, brown, grey and white; worth $2.00 pair $1.50

Women's Full Fashioned Silk Hose, heavy weight, in black, silver, Otter grey, mist and brown, pair $2.00

Women's Silk Hose, lisle knee and sole, with Pointex heel, $2.25 and $3.00 Pair

Women's Heavy Black Silk Hose, all silk, or with lisle knee and sole, black, brown and grey..... $2.50, $2.75 and $3 Pair

Women's Silk Hose, with open clocks, black, brown and navy, $3.00, $4.50 and $4.75 Pair

Women's Silk Hose, with embroidered clocks, black, grey and navy ..... $4.00 Pair

Women's Outsize Silk Hose, black, brown and white, $1.75, $2.50 and $2.75 Pair

Street Floor

P.N. Practical Front CORSETS

The Custom-Corseted Look

The last word in the new corsetry. Lends youth and grace through flexibility and great naturalness of fit and line. In a complete range of models and materials.

$5 Up

IT'S ABOUT TIME YOU WERE THINKING ABOUT

Easter Gloves

And smartness goes hand in hand with these new gloves.

In the selection of the little, important things that make up the Easter Costume, gloves must be chosen with care. There are so many attractive ones.

Women's 2-Clasp Kid Gloves, black, white, tan and gray, self stitched and contrasting embroidered backs..$2.25 to $5 Pair

Women's Strap Wrist Washable Cape Skin Gloves, light weight embroidered and speak back, in tan, brown and pretty shades, $3.75 to $4.50 Pair

Women's Capeskin Gauntlet Gloves, in the new spring shades of silver, grey and putty .....$5.25 to $6.00 Pair

Women's Fabric Gauntlet Gloves, plain and fancy cuffs, in suede, beige, oak and pastel .....$1.15 to $2.25 Pair

Children's One-clasp Cape Skin Gloves, brown and putty, $1.95 Pair

Children's Fabric Gloves, suede and brown .....69c Pair

Street Floor

FOOD SALE TODAY
Centralville Lodge, 137, Rebekahs

Light Weight "Wools"

That lend themselves so easily to the drapings demanded by today's fashions. New Spring Dress Goods here in an exceptional variety. Splendid values.

All Wool Jersey—Some ten colors to choose from, a popular fabric for blouses and dresses, 54 inches wide. Yard **$2.00**

All Wool Canton Crepe—A firmly woven fabric, suitable for dresses, 54 inches wide; here in the new shades, Yard.....**$2.50**

All Wool Tricotine and Poiret Twill—Very fine materials for either suits or dresses and quite popular, too, 54 inches wide, navy, brown and black.... **$3.00 and $3.50 Yard**

PALMER STREET STORE

The Home Should Have "New Things" for Easter, Too!

THESE FROM THE LINEN SECTION WOULD HELP BRIGHTEN UP A BIT

Mercerized Napkins, size 22x22, hemmed ready for use, made of fine damask that will not lint....**19¢ Each, $2.10 Dozen**

Table Cloth and Napkin Sets, consisting of one hemstitched pattern cloth, size 56x72, and six 18x18 napkins to match, **$5.69 Set**

Turkish Towels, size 44-22, made of heavy double and twisted yarn that is very absorbent and will wear well, **45¢ Each, 6 for $2.50**

Linen Toweling, bleached, all linen, 16 inches wide, fast colored red or blue stripe borders.... **22¢, 10 Yards for $2.00**

Linen Scarfs, 18x48, made of good quality oyster linen, hemstitched all around, with mitred corners.....**85¢ Each**

Embroidered Pillow Cases, one lot of 300, made of good cotton and excellent workmanship. Three new designs, three-inch hemstitch.....**45¢ Each, 6 for $2.50**

PALMER STREET STORE

FROM THE SHOE SECTION—Basement For Today and Saturday—Special Prices

Low Shoe Strap and Lace Oxfords, several styles, C and D widths, all Goodyear welts; regular prices $4.00 and $5.00. Friday and Saturday **$2.98**

Misses' and Children's High Cut Tan Polish Shoes, with rubber heels, wide toe, easy fitting, all sizes 8½ to 11 and 11½ to 2; regular price $2.00. Friday and Saturday.....**$1.75**

Boys' Gun Metal and Tan Shoes, English style, all Goodyear welts, not all sizes, but a good assortment of sizes 1 to 5½; regular price $4.00. Friday and Saturday.....**$2.25**

Men's Goodyear Welt Shoes, of gun metal, with heavy soles, wide fitting style, all sizes 7 to 11. Friday and Saturday, **$2.98**

Men's Tan Bal., English style, very popular this spring, all sizes 6 to 9, C and D widths. Friday and Saturday.....**$2.98**

Misses' Rubbers, sizes 11 to 2. Friday and Saturday.....**59¢**

Children's Rubbers, sizes 4 to 10½. Friday and Saturday, **49¢**

Protect Your Garments from Moths and Dust! Keep Them in a

Freid Garment Container

A Household Necessity

A new invention that appeals to the public because of its usefulness.

Made of fine quality brocaded material.

Moth-ball containers top and bottom, with opening at end to remove or replace moth balls.

Fashionable men and women throughout the land are using the **Freid Garment Container.**

Elegance, strength and long-wearing qualities are features of the **Freid Garment Container.**

Will last a lifetime. Holds several garments.

The **Freid Garment Container** can be had either with moth balls, cedar aroma, sachet or odorless.

Size 24 inches wide, 62 inches long.

Special lengths made to order.

$2.00 TO $3.50

Art Goods Section—Street Floor

EASTER HATS

Hats that so cunningly reflect the youthful charms and gaiety of Easterlide. The splendor and variety of these Hats hold a pleasant surprise for you. Featuring Milans, Hair and Silk Combinations, with Flower, Ribbon and Embroidered effects.

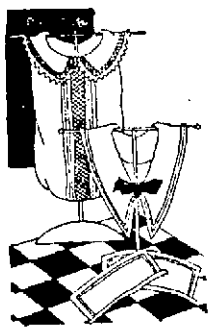
$7.50 UPWARD

Also SPORT HATS at..... $2.98 to $4.98

Palmer Street Store

The Easiest Way to Freshen a Frock is With

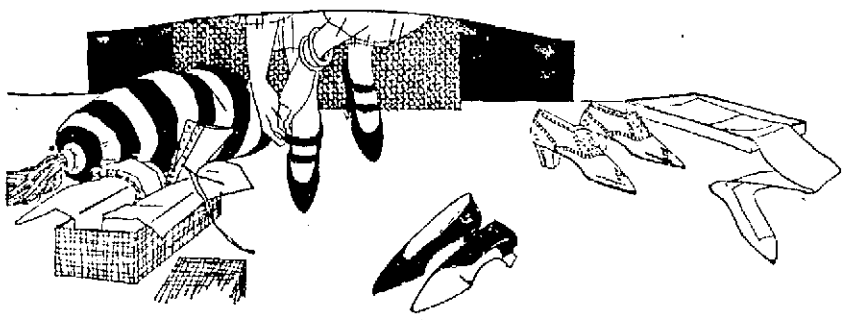
New Neckwear



For the freshening springlike touch to a costume, try a bit of crisp new neckwear. It makes a frock newer, more feminine looking. Here you will find neckwear in such profusion as to enable you to choose for every frock without spending much money.

Bertha Collars of net with exquisite Venise lace edging, in cream and white $1.00
Venise Lace Bertha Collars..... $1 to $4.95
Venise Lace, Bramleigh Collar and Cuff Sets $1 and $1.50
Venise Lace Roll Collars.....50c to $2.95
Venise Lace Roll Collar and Cuff Sets, 50c to $2.95
Hand Embroidered Net Panel Collars, with exquisite Venise lace edges $1.50 to $4.95
Venise Lace Panel Collars.....$1.50 to $2.50
Heat Irish Lace Roll Collars.....$2.00, $2.50
Real Filet Roll Collars .....$1.50 to $3.00
Eyelet Bramleigh Collar and Cuff Sets, 25c, 50c and $1.00
Embroidered Linen Bramleigh Collars and Cuff Sets .....50c, $1.00 and $1.50
Organdie Round Collars with Venise lace edges 50c
Colored Embroidered Organdie Collars, 50c and $1.00
Organdie Collar and Cuff Sets, 50c, $1.00 and $1.50
Organdie Vestees With Cuffs $1.00
Linen Vestees, with round collar and cuffs, $1.00
Linen Vestees with cuffs and round collar, real filet, and Irish lace medallions..$1.50
Triangular Shaped Bandana Kerchiefs, made in assorted patterns of silk $1.00, $1.50 and $2.00
Bandana Kerchiefs, made in assorted patterns of silk, square shape $2.50, $3.50
Paisley Silk Bramleigh Collar and Cuff Sets, $1.00
Paisley Bramleigh Tie, assorted colors 50c
Bandana Hand Painted Kerchiefs, in triangular and square shape....$2.00 and $2.95

Street Floor



Putting One's Best Foot Forward

To be well shod is supposed to be a highly important item, and there is really no reason for being otherwise, when such charming examples of footwear are to be had. All the new ideas are included in this collection, stepping in to the forefront of fashion by their smartness and comfort, and prices are lower, too, than formerly.

Pumps—Grey suede, with grey kid trimmings, one-strap style, low rubber heels, **$7.50 Pair**

Oxfords and Pumps—Brown suede with brown kid trimmings. Cuban and low heels, **$7.50 Pair**

Oxfords—Grey suede, Cuban and medium heels..... **$6.50 and $7.00 Pair**

Sport Oxfords—Tan, calf leather, with crepe soles ..... **$6.50 Pair**

Oxfords (Red Cross Brand) tan and black, vici kid, Cuban heels, **$7 and $7.50 Pr.**

Pumps—(Red Cross Brand) of vici kid and patent leather, Cuban rubber heels, **$7.50 Pair**

Street Floor

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

GOES ON SLUMMING TRIP

Miss Harding, President's Sister, Enjoys Cabarets in Lower East Side, New York

NEW YORK, March 23.—Miss Abigail V. Harding, President Harding's sister, who, with her sister, Mrs. Carolyn Harding Votaw, recently returned from a tour of South America, went on a slumming trip early today with a party of friends through the white light theatrical district, picturesque Greenwich Village and the edge of the bustling lower East Side.

Chaperoned by men who said they were government agents, they visited several cabarets, and enjoyed the entertainment. At a Kenmare street basement inn, a special program was hastily arranged. Miss Harding enthusiastically applauded the singing of "The Rose of Picardy."

Four city detectives joined the party at this place as an additional guard.

ENTERTAINMENT AT GREENHALGE SCHOOL

Wednesday, April 11, has been selected for the entertainment of the Greenhalge school Parent-Teacher association. The event, for the purpose of the association fund, has a program of well known local entertainers. A delightful evening is being arranged by the program committee under Miss Catherine Gillick. Tickets will be out soon. A refreshment sale is planned for the same evening.

The following entertainers are on schedule: Madelene Higgins, Grace Healy, Arline Redmund, Madelene Finnegan, Dorothy Sheeley, Kathleen Jennings, Bernadette Finnegan, Margaret Mahoney, Mr. and Mrs. Delmore, the Barrett sisters, Raymond Kelley, Elenor Pitts, Doris Master, Mr. O'Reilly, Grace Morin.

TO BAR CERTAIN TEXTBOOKS

MADISON, Wis., March 23—Governor Blaine today had before him a bill passed by the legislature baring from public schools textbooks which falsify the facts or defame characters of the American War of the Revolution and the war of 1812.

A MUTUAL AGREEMENT

Follows Three Days of Discussion by Allied Experts on Near East

LONDON, March 23. (By the Associated Press.)—Three days of discussion by the allied experts on the near east have led to a mutual agreement on most of the disputed points raised by the Turkish counter-proposals to the Lausanne peace treaty draft.

It was learned today from quarters close to the representatives of Great Britain, France and Italy that the political and juridical sub-committee had reached a complete agreement on most of the matters discussed.

The members of the sub-committee which is considering the territorial phases of the treaty have, it is stated, agreed to support Italy's plea for the Island of Castelorizza which the Turks proposed should be returned to them. The financial commission expected to be able to complete its labors before today was over.

All the experts are unanimous in the view that the Angora government's demand for incorporation in the treaty of the financial and economic clauses cannot be granted. M. Bompard, on behalf of France, reiterated the determination to have these clauses disjoined from the treaty because their inclusion might conflict with France's existing economic agreement with the Turks.

FITCHBURG BOYS ON LITTLE OUTING

In making his rounds in the vicinity of the local Boston and Maine depot late last night, Officer Paul Spillane noticed two small boys asleep on a bench in the interior of the station. He had them taken to the police station where they gave their names as Tanno Coski and George Alin, both of Fitchburg, who stated that they had come to Lowell via truck. The Fitchburg police were notified and the boys returned to their parents this morning.

SEND TRUCE PROPOSALS

Two Friendly Navajos Peace Delegates From Warring Piute Indians

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, March 23.—Two friendly Navajos early today brought the first truce proposals to Blanding from the warring Piute Indians beleaguered the past 48 hours in the fastness of the Dark Tank country by a ring of armed ranchers.

Charley's Boy and two other spokesmen of the Piutes sent the message. They would surrender, so the Navajos said, if guarantees were given for the lives of the renegades, who have terrorized southeastern Utah since the first of the week.

United States Marshal J. Ray Ward, who arrived at Blanding late yesterday, met the Navajos and will send his answer today.

BOSTON W. S. QUINBY COMPANY CHICAGO

La Touraine Coffee

You might as well have the best~

45¢ lb.

"It's the Bean"

PETITION FOR HEARING

A meeting of the citizens of upper Lawrence street was held Thursday evening relative to certain improvements needed in the district. After a very animated discussion it was decided to adjourn until Sunday, March 25, at 2 p. m. Mayor Donovan, Councillors McFadden, Daly and others will be invited to attend the meeting. A petition is being circulated through the district praying that a hearing be granted by the city council.

HEALING CREAM IS A QUICK RELIEF FOR NASTY HEAD COLDS

Colds and catarrh yield like magic to soothing, healing antiseptic cream that penetrates through every air passage and relieves swollen, inflamed membranes of nose and throat. Your clogged nostrils one bright up and you can breathe freely. Hawking and snuffling stop. Don't stay stuffed up and miserable.

Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist. Apply a little in the nostrils and get instant relief. Millions endorse this remedy known for more than 50 years.—Adv.

OLDEST MASON IS DEAD

Washington Bissel, 102, Was Also Oldest College Graduate and Retired Lawyer

PITTSFIELD, March 23.—Washington Bissell, aged 102, oldest Mason, oldest college graduate and oldest retired lawyer in the United States, died at Great Barrington, today. He would have been 103 years old April 16. He was graduated from Union college, Schenectady, N. Y., in the class of 1846 and practiced law in New York state and Connecticut. Mr. Bissell recently said that he had smoked since he was 12 years old, and figured it helped to prolong his life. He used liquor moderately.

MAN MISSING 14 DAYS RETURNS

BROCKTON, March 23.—Richard E. Upjohn, 40, of the Franklin Last Co., whose unexplained absence from the city for 14 days brought about suspension of work for 15 employes at the last shop, pending inquiry into the financial situation of the business, has returned to his home. He is under the care of the family doctor, Mrs. Upjohn says. He is ill and unable to talk coherently or tell of his whereabouts since he left home. Work has been resumed at the factory.

APPLY SULPHUR TO HEAL UP YOUR SKIN

Broken Out Skin and Itching Eczema Helped Over Night

For unsightly skin eruptions, rash or blotches on face, neck, arms or body, you do not have to wait for relief from torture or embarrassment, declares a noted skin specialist. Apply a little Mentho-Sulphur and improvement shows next day.

Because of its germ destroying properties, nothing has ever been found to take the place of this sulphur preparation. The moment you apply it healing begins. Only those who have had unsightly skin troubles can know the delight this Mentho-Sulphur brings. Even fiery, itching eczema is dried right up.

Get a small jar from any good druggist and use it like cold cream.—Adv.

Boston Wholesale Millinery Co.

Upstairs—90 MERRIMACK STREET—Upstairs

Ladies of Lowell: Buy Your Easter Hats at the Boston Wholesale Millinery Co.

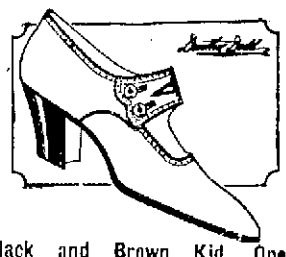
Upstairs—90 Merrimack Street

and Save Money

FULL LINE OF TRIMMED HATS, UNTRIMMED HATS FLOWERS, FANCIES, MATERIALS AND FRAMES

NOTE

All the Newest Novelties in Women's Footwear. See them in the window.



Black and Brown Kid, One Strap Two Button Pumps.

Black and Brown Calf and Kid Oxfords, Military and Cuban Heel.

Patent Leather, Gray Suede One Strap Pumps, Baby Louis' Heel.

SEE OUR SELECTED STYLES — OF — EASTER FOOTWEAR FOR PARTICULAR WOMEN

THE Dorothy Dodd AND "MORSE MAID SHOES" FOR WOMEN

In Shoes, as in other wearables, Real Value implies the newest in style and the finest in quality, together with low price. And because our new Spring "DOROTHY DODD and "MORSE MAID" SHOES Combine all these elements of value, discriminating women will buy their Easter Footwear here.

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NEW MOVE IN ATTEMPT TO SAVE PAPPAS

BOSTON, March 23—A petition for a writ of error in the case of Paul Pappas, sentenced to death for the murder of Alice Arsenault, was filed in the supreme court today. A hearing was arranged for this afternoon.

In the superior court yesterday a motion for a stay of execution was denied. The electrocution of Pappas was set for tonight.

Pappas was convicted of the killing of Mrs. Alice Arsenault, a South End lodging housekeeper on Christmas day, 1919. Mrs. Clara D. Dilson, who formerly lived in Worcester, a witness introduced by counsel for Pappas Wednesday, testified that she was alive the following day.

NURSES ARE SCARCE, HOSPITAL ADVERTISES

LAWRENCE, March 23.—Owing to the scarcity of nurses at the Lawrence city hospital, the officials there were forced yesterday to resort to advertising to obtain the requisite quota to conduct their work properly. At present there are 10 nurses at the hospital, and at least five more are required.

TELEPHONE ALARM

A slight blaze in the partition at the top of the cellar stairs at 15 Columbus avenue was responsible for a telephone alarm at 2.27 o'clock this morning. The blaze was extinguished before any serious damage was done.

GOV. BAXTER MOVES FOR REFERENDUM

AUGUSTA, Me., March 23.—Governor Percival P. Baxter today in a proclamation announced that he would ask the citizens to sign petitions for a referendum on the act to incorporate the Kennebec Reservoir company which proposes to develop a water storage system on the Kennebec river. The act was passed by both branches of the legislature over the governor's veto.

WOMEN'S BRANCH OF KU KLUX KLAN

Mamelia, a women's order, has been organized and is ready to function "alongside of the Knights of the Ku Klux Klan," according to a statement by William J. Simmons, former imperial wizard and principal organizer of the klan, who has appointed himself elmagus, or president, of the women's organization.

At the headquarters of the Ku Klux Klan, officials said they had no knowledge of Simmons' activities.

HUANG FU RESIGNS

PEKING, March 23.—(By the Associated Press) Huang Fu has submitted his resignation from the portfolio of foreign minister, because it is said, of the criticism to which the government has been subjected for its failure to procure abrogation of the treaty of 1915, with Japan.

Getting All Dressed Up

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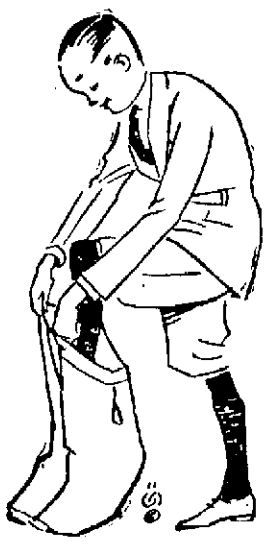

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DROPS DEAD ON LINKS

Milo D. Campbell Had Recently Been Appointed to Reserve Board

WASHINGTON, March 23.—After taking a long drive in the second round of a game of golf at the Columbia Country club here, Milo D. Campbell, recently appointed farmer member of the federal reserve board, dropped dead yesterday. He had just finished playing 18 holes, as the guest of Senator Townsend of Michigan. Death was due to cerebral hemorrhage, believed to have been caused by overexertion and excitement. Mr. Campbell had seemed in exceptionally good health.

President Harding appointed him to the federal reserve board several weeks ago in response to the demand of the farm bloc for representations on that body. His death renews a vacancy that was filled only after a long controversy.

Mr. Campbell, who was a resident of Coldwater, Mich., was 71 years old and had been in public life for 36 years. From 1886 to 1887 he was a member of the Michigan state legislature, resigning to become secretary to Gov. Luce from 1887 to 1891. He then served as mayor of Coldwater for two years, at the same time holding office in the Michigan railroad and crossing board.

In 1895 he became state commissioner of insurance and later a member of the Michigan prison board. He was then made United States marshal for the eastern district of Michigan.

In 1920 he was defeated by Alex J. Grossback for the governorship. He then became president of the National Milk Producers' association and spent most of his time in Washington.

He was a practical farmer all his life, personally managing two farms on the outskirts of Coldwater, which are known country-wide as models of efficiency.

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Just go to your neighborhood drug store, obtain the "Discovery" in tablets or liquid and see you quickly you will build up. You feel to the tonic effect immediately. Send 10c to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., for trial pkg.—Adv.

WOMAN IS BANDIT OF FUTURE!

By ROY GIBBONS
N. E. A. Staff Correspondent

CHICAGO, March 20—Woman will be the bandit of the future.

Instead of the movie type of desperado with sweater and unshaven face, a chic young miss, faultlessly tailored, will shove her pearl-handled automatic under your nose and relieve you of your roll.

All this is coming if we continue to divert woman's normal maternal instinct into the wrong channels, warns Miss Elizabeth Carter, eminent psychologist here.

Drawing on actual cases to illustrate, Miss Carter points to Julia

JULIA HARTNETT (ABOVE) AND ELIZABETH ("HONEY") SULLIVAN (BELOW).

Hartnett and Elizabeth ("Honey") Sullivan, two girls recently arrested here for complicity in the operations of a new type of criminal organization—the shiek band.

Miss Sullivan's reign as queen of a dapper-dressed band of youths whom she spurred on with her six-shooter, has gained her an indeterminate 10-year prison term which she is now serving.

The Hartnett girl is under indictment on a charge of receiving stolen property.

Good at Heart

"The inference to be gathered," Miss Carter says, "is that both the Sullivan and Hartnett girls approached a point on the road which made them want to turn back.

"This is revealed by their turning state's evidence in each instance. It proves they were not innately bad, but made so by circumstances.

"Both were suffering from unsatisfied social desires. Each wanted a beau.

"The Sullivan girl, when arrested, told of being inducted into the gang by her own sweetheart, its leader.

"The Hartnett girl was also ensnared by improper analysis of her feelings for a certain member of her gang. She thought she loved him.

"There you have two expressions of the maternal instinct over-exaggerated leading to misinterpretation, a life of crime and social ruin.

Need Watching

"It is girls like these who must be carefully watched during adolescence.

"Over-stimulation of the sex interest during the plastic stage of youth later directs the natural good which should flow from that source into channels capable of doing untold harm.

"It has a tendency to misdirect maternal instinct. The cure lies solely in prevention with responsibility placed entirely on the parent.

"Most girls, however, who find themselves slipping into erotic lives are righted before the time is too late.

"Natural tendency of the impulse, probably instilled by the Creator for moral safety of the race, is to go along decent paths. That's why there are so few confirmed bad women."

BULGARIA TO PAY $106,160,000

PARIS, March 23—(By the Associated Press) The total reparations owed by Bulgaria to the allies have been fixed at 550,000,000 gold francs ($106,160,000), payable over a period of 60 years.

It is proposed, according to a spokesman for the Bulgarian Embassy, that the first payment this year consist of 5,000,000 gold francs ($965,000), with the schedule for the other 59 years to be determined on a sliding scale, governed by Bulgaria's capacity to pay.

The settlement is yet to be ratified by the Reparations Commission and accepted by the various governments to whom the payments will be made, but this is only a matter of form. The reparations will go to Great Britain, France, Italy, Greece and Rumania, but the relative distribution among them thus far has not been made known.

The Bulgarian customs, which now average 40,000,000 gold francs ($7,720,000) annually, will be held as guarantee for payment.

It was only after a bitter fight that the Bulgars agreed to the settlement, but they now feel that the country's commerce is about to be freed from the conditions of uncertainty, against which it has been struggling.

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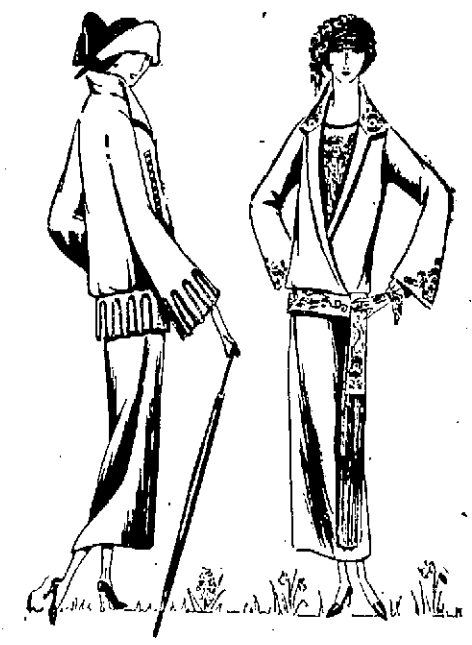

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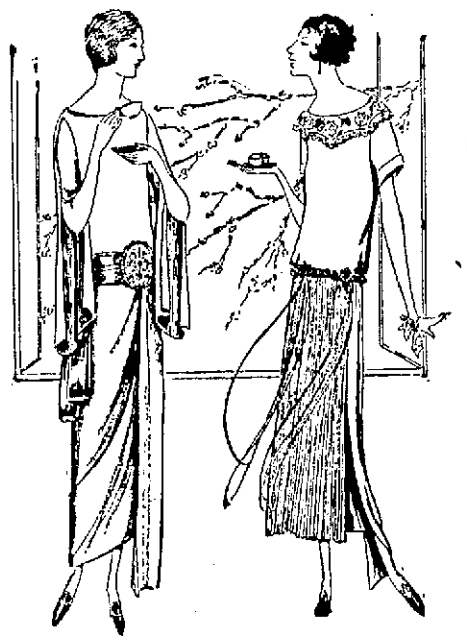

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HEARS ARGUMENTS ON H. V. GREENE DEMURRER

BOSTON, March 23—Whether Theresa I. Spear and other subscribers to stock in the H. V. Greene company can maintain their $14,000,000 suit against H. V. Greene, the H. V. Greene company, Mutual Finance Corporation, Commercial Finance Corporation, the First People's Trust and a number of directors and officers of the companies will be determined by the full bench of the supreme court on demurrers filed by the defendants to the bill. Arguments were made yesterday by counsel.

The plaintiffs allege fraud and conspiracy to defraud the subscribers to stock. They ask to have their subscriptions annulled and a return made of the money paid in on the instalment plan. If the court sustains the demurred the action is ended; if it overrules the demurrer the case will go to trial.

The grounds of the demurred are allegations that there is a misjoinder of parties; that the bill is multifarious and that it does not set forth a case entitling the plaintiffs to relief in equity.

A decree of the superior court overruling a demurrer of David H. Brand in a suit brought against him by the Tremont Trust company has been sustained by the full bench. The trust company may maintain its bill to reach and apply stock of a corporation pledged as collateral by Brand to secure a note for $3303.40 given by Brand.

Brand contended that the note was given without consideration, but Judge Pierce who wrote the opinion of the full court says that the pre-existing notes of Brand were a sufficient consideration for the latter one.

The court declared that the promise of Vice Pres. Simon Swig to procure an interview with the United States district attorney, and to introduce and vouch for the counsel for the defendant as a man of good standing at the bar, which was in fact performed, could have been relied upon as introducing a new element of consideration.

The tiered skirt is used effectively with the plainest of blouses. It is becoming to tall or short figures as the tiers are so artfully arranged they do not cut the height.

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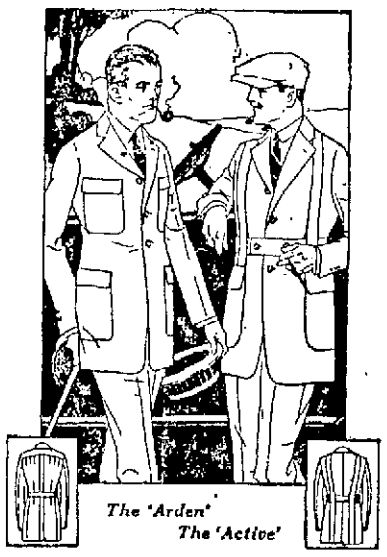

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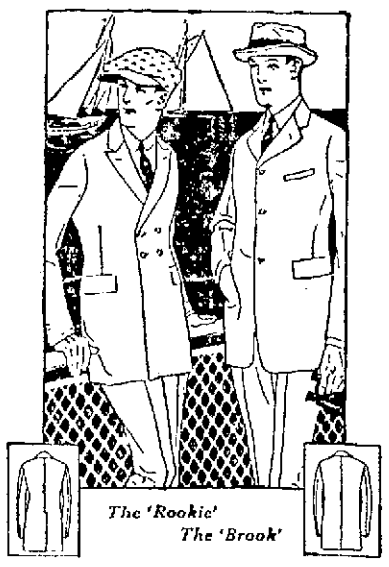

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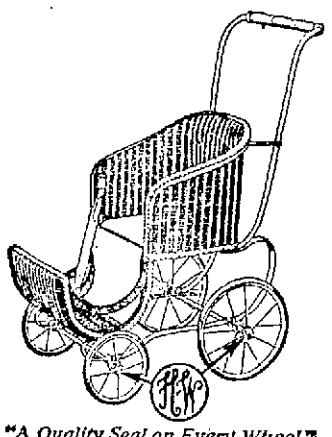

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OLD BATTLESHIP IS DEMOLISHED

ABOARD U.S.S. MARYLAND, Panama Bay, March 23.—(By radio to the Associated Press) Amid strains of the Star-Spangled Banner and the firing of national salutes, the old battleship Iowa sank here late yesterday. After a shelling by the super-dreadnought Mississippi's 14-inch rifles, the battered hulk turned slowly over on its side and slid beneath the waves.

Secretary Denby, members of the congressional party, naval officers and observing ships' companies stood at attention in silent tribute to the once gallant ship that won fame in the destruction of Cervera's fleet at Santiago.

With this dramatic climax the winter maneuvers of the United States fleet needed. For part of two days the Iowa withstood the battering from the Mississippi, which was using thin-walled shells, but her end came within 17 minutes after the super-dreadnought opened up with service shells from a range of approximately nine miles.

Nine five-gun salvos were fired. The first went wide, but the second carried the Iowa's death blow, one shell hitting at the waterline, smashing through the thick armor and exploding inside. At least five other direct hits were scored, hastening the end.

TUBERCULOSIS TAKES HEAVY TOLL IN JAPAN

YOKOHAMA, March 23.—Alarmed at the steady increase of tuberculosis in this country in recent years, authorities of the sanitary bureau in the home office are distributing a pamphlet pointing out that some 120,000 new cases of tuberculosis are reported each year throughout the country, and the deathrate in the country from this cause is one case every five minutes.

"THE ETERNAL LIGHT"

"The Eternal Light," a magnificent sacred drama dealing with the life of Christ, which has been produced by the Societa Italiana Cines of Italy, will be shown on the screen at the Memorial Auditorium next Sunday evening. The affair will be given under the auspices of St. Louis' parish and the performance will begin promptly at 8 o'clock. This play is characteristic of the Italian genius and ranks supreme in the realm of photodom. It is sure to satisfy the exigencies of the cultured and refined class. Apart altogether from its religious aspect, "The Eternal Light" is one of the greatest pictures of the age, rescuing from oblivion forgotten facts and recreating life at and before the Christian era, as has never been done before.

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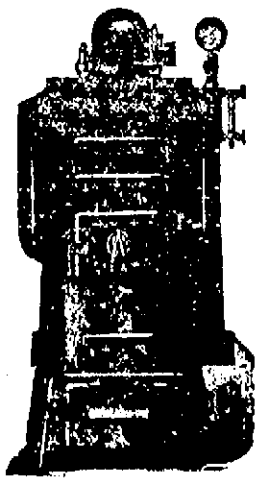

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Among the thousands hurrying past the intersections of two of Detroit's main thoroughfares at the busy noon hour recently, hundreds paused to witness ceremonies commemorating events connected with the founding of the city on the same spot more than two centuries earlier.

Behind the listening throngs roared the life of a city of more than a million, nearly drowning words of the speakers. A few skulking Indians on that earlier date had been the only witnesses. No noise from the surrounding wilderness had dimmed the voices of the handful of men who then planted the flag. The river had then rolled free, unhindered by wharfs, buildings or restraining walls. The quiet lapping of its waves had then made only the lightest accompaniment to the sledge blows that sunk posts for the walls of the new fort.

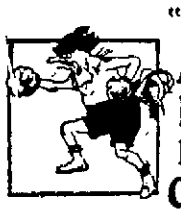
During these two centuries Detroit has grown from a trading post of 200 persons to an industrial center of more than a million, fourth largest city of the country, leader in the output of its automotive industries, and among the first in varied lines of manufacture.

The occasion of the recent celebration was the 265th anniversary of the birth of Antoine de la Mothe Cadillac, founder of the city, born March 5, 1658. A tablet erected upon a building standing on the site where bold French pioneers drove the first posts of the stockade in 1701, was presented to the city in the name of the Cadillac Motor Car company by its president, H. H. Rice, and was accepted in behalf of the city by Mayor Lodge.

After the unveiling ceremonies, invited guests adjourned to a luncheon, after which Detroit's historiographer, Clarence M. Burton, who has traveled over the scenes of Cadillac's activities from his birth to his death, gathering data from original sources, gave an address upon the significance of the nobleman's life to Detroit and the surrounding country.

Among the guests attending the events were members of the city council, heads of city departments, judges of circuit and recorder's courts, the French counsel and members of local historical and patriotic societies.

WHO FIRST FELT "LIKE A FIGHTING COCK"?



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"TIZ" EASES TIRED SORE, SWOLLEN FEET

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Good-bye, corns, callouses, bunions and raw spots. No more shoe tightness, no more limping with pain or drawing up your face in agony. "TIZ" is magical, acts right off. "TIZ" draws out all the poisonous exudations which puff up the feet. Use "TIZ" and forget your foot misery. Ah! how comfortable your feet feel. Get a box of "TIZ" now at any druggist, or department store. Don't suffer. Have good feet, glad feet, feet that never swell, never hurt, never get tired. A year's foot comfort guaranteed for a few cents.— Adv.

FRIENDS HONOR JOHN J. WALSH

John J. Walsh, prominent American Legion man in this city, whose engagement to Miss Julia A. Moynihan was announced some time ago, was tendered a testimonial banquet by a group of friends in Cole's Inn last night. James F. O'Donoghue was toastmaster at the happy gathering and after relating several amusing stories in connection with the guest and his associations with the local post of the Legion, he introduced the following speakers: Colin C. Macdonald, Michael F. Quinn, Thomas B. Higgins, Edward Sirois of Lawrence, manager of the Veterans' bureau, Commander Joseph A. Molloy of the Lowell Post, Stephen C. Garrity, Harry Cole, Dr. Caldicott, Robert A. Ginivan and others.

Mr. Walsh was the recipient of a valuable humidor and smoking set, the presentation being made by John J. O'Grady. Among those present were Robert J. Rutledge, Colin C. Macdonald, Arthur P. Moran, George Walsh, Patrick J. O'Hearn, Eugene Loupret, M. H. Harrington, Stephen C. Garrity, John O'Grady, M. F. Quinn, James F. O'Donoghue, John J. Walsh, Joseph A. Molloy, George McCarthy, Joseph Lannan, J. J. Sullivan, Dr. Feeney, Edward Sirois, F. Killilea, J. J. Kearney, George Whelton, Joseph M. Dinneen, Richard Preston, Robert J. Ginivan, Collin H. MacKenzie, George F. Toye, Harry Tappan, Dr. Rufus Long, Dr. Francis Caldicott, Thomas B. Higgins, Thomas M. Gargan, George Taylor, J. Henry Gilbride, Stephen Kearney, Harry Cole, Allan Eveleth and Horatius B. Leggat.

BUILDING MANAGER FOR AUDITORIUM

Until such a time as Payson Dana, civil service commissioner, returns from a Florida trip, no further steps will be taken in regard to the election of a custodian and building manager for the Memorial Auditorium.

Mayor John J. Donovan and Solicitor Jeremiah J. O'Sullivan conferred with Secretary Gilbert of the commission yesterday afternoon and upon the commissioner's return to Boston whatever facts the mayor has, which he feels might have a bearing upon the eligibility of Collin H. MacKenzie for the position of custodian, will be placed before Mr. Dana.

RIVER SLIGHTLY HIGHER AT PAWTUCKET DAM

The Merrimack river was slightly higher at the Pawtucket dam this morning, with an increase of approximately 200 second feet over yesterday's volume. Ice above the dam on the Pawtucket street side begins to show signs of breaking up and a small quantity did detach itself this forenoon and moved down to the gate house, but scarcely any of it went over the flash boards.

The ice went out of the river last year at 12 o'clock, noon, on Wednesday, March 15. Already it is more than a week later this year, with indications that it may be some time next week before the big break-up occurs.

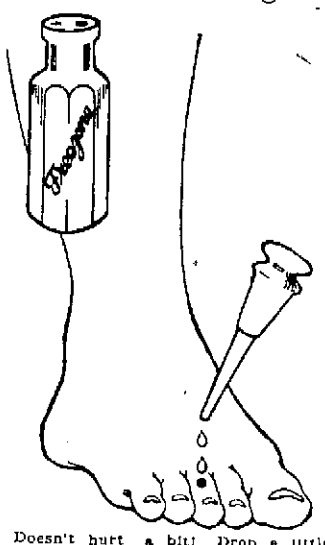
MARCH ISSUE OF HIGH SCHOOL REVIEW

The March issue of the Lowell High School Review made its appearance in school today and by the end of the first recess the supply was practically exhausted. This number contains the usual departments of "Knocks," "Exchanges," "Society Notes," "Athletics," etc., and it is also embellished with several pages written by Charlie Connors that are entitled, "Name Your Shot Glee Club." This item is arranged as a concert program and is replete with humor and with personages well known among the students.

Under the heading of "Society Notes" is given information as to the committees and plans for the Girl Officers' ball which is to be held on April 6. The chairmen of the committees are as follows: Miss Sara O'Brien, refreshment committee; Margaret Flynn, reception committee; Elinor MacBrayne, program committee, Juanita Johnston, decoration committee; and Ruth Graves, novelty dance committee.

CORNS

Lift Off with Fingers



Doesn't hurt a bit! Drop a little "Freezone" on an aching corn, instantly that corn stops hurting, then shortly you lift it right off with fingers. Truly!

Your druggist sells a tiny bottle of "Freezone" for a few cents, sufficient to remove every hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, and the callouses, without soreness or irritation.—

PRIESTS DEFENDED HOST

Sharp Resistance When Soviet Authorities Came to Seize Sacred Vessels

MOSCOW, March 23.—(By Associated Press) The testimony at yesterday's session of the trial of Archbishop Zepliak of Petrograd, head of the Roman Catholic church in Russia, and 18 priests showed that the Soviet officials encountered sharp resistance when they attempted to requisition the valuables in the Catholic churches of the former capital.

The churchmen are charged with opposing the decree separating the church and state, resisting the sequestration of church treasures and engaging in agitation for the closing of the churches, which, it is declared, would inconvenience the Soviet government with the Vatican and impair the terms of the treaty with Poland.

The Russian agents in their work of requisitioning valuables found the sturdy, clean-shaven young Catholic priests far different from the bearded clergy of the Russian Orthodox church, most of whom even assisted in the requisition, the testimony indicated.

The young priest Eismond, at the Church of St. Casimir, Petrograd, halted the requisitioners when they sought to examine the host, declaring that they could pass only over his dead body. Kodkowich, the priest of St. Catherine's, Petrograd, refused to reveal the hiding places of the church treasures and called upon the congregation to defend them.

Fr. Yunavich, at the Church of the Holy Stanislaus, kept the services going from morning until night, holding the congregation in the church during the time set for the requisition.

Archbishop Zepliak, wearing a red hat and red belt, is the center of the group of defendants, most of whom are young. Their lawyers are stubbornly contesting the accusations made by Nikolai Krylenko, president of the Supreme Revolutionary Tribunal, who is acting as prosecutor.

The Best Medicine For Women

When Mr. Myers of Winston-Salem, North Carolina, stopped into the drug store and asked his druggist for the best medicine he had in his store for woman's ills, is it any wonder he was handed a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound? Mrs. L. K. Myers in writing of it says: "I had been weak, run down and had a pain in my left side for a long time, so I could not do my work. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound helped me in a short time so I was able to do all of my housework, including washing and ironing, and now I feel fine all the time." As Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound holds the record for benefiting 98 women out of every 100 women who take it, it will pay every suffering woman to try it.—Adv.

NEW PLAN TO LOCATE SHIPS AT SEA

WASHINGTON, March 23. (Associated Press.)—Accurate calculation of the position of ships at sea and on air lanes with almost lightning speed is said to be possible under a new method of determining latitude and longitude, worked out by the hydrographic office of the navy department.

Complete computations, according to G. W. Littlehales, hydrographic engineer, who devised the new system, can be made within three minutes, whereas calculation by methods now in vogue in usually a somewhat tedious procedure. Three years' work, involving more than a million and a half calculations and the solution of millions of spherical triangles, is represented in the new tables which, naval experts declare, will be of particular value in determining quickly the position of fast moving water and air craft.

All data needed in making calculations under the new system are contained in a single, compact volume.

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Wholesale price for Frames ..... 35¢
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Values That Will Break All Records

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Right now, before Easter, comes the greatest money saving event ever known to Lowell. We are going to show the ladies of Lowell and vicinity our appreciation of their co-operation in our great success by giving them values that are beyond their fondest expectations. Your opportunity to save many dollars on your new spring outfit—select from the largest, most complete assortment of high-grade apparel in New England at lower prices than ever before. Strong words—and we'll back every word of it.

Be Here Saturday and Monday for Great Savings

New Custom-Tailored Easter

SUITS

Hundreds of attractively modeled New Suits—Straight-line Tailored Suits, Blouse Suits, Bolero Suits, Tucked Waistline Suits, Loose Box Suits. Every suit lined with Peau de Cygne and Canton Crepe. Expertly tailored in every detail. Navy, Black, Tan, Gray, Checks. Materials are: **Tricotine, Poiret Twill, Velour Checks, Camelaire.** Sizes and styles for Juniors, Misses, Women and Stylish Stouts. Specially priced

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Stylish New Spring

DRESSES

Dame Fashion's most individual styles are here for your inspection. Copies of original imp ortations, creations of foremost designers in modes that delight well dressed women—the most distinctive showing in Lowell. Materials are: **Renee Crepe, Crepe Romaine, Roshanara, Ginesette, Pasha Crepette, Paisley Prints, Egyptian Designs.** All the new colors. All sizes, including stylish stouts. Unusual at **$14**

EXCLUSIVE DRESSES

Whatever is newest and most desirable in Spring Dresses is waiting for you here. They're lovely—so many styles to select from—every new creation is here. **Egyptian Prints, Canton Crepe, Taffeta, Laces, Flat Crepe, Paisley, Satin Crepe.**

All the new colors. You must see them to appreciate what wonderful values they are. All sizes for Juniors, Misses, Women. Saturday and Monday ..... **$25 and $32.50**

Coats, Wraps, Capes

A wonderful assortment of distinctive, high-grade garments—creations that are different from anything shown elsewhere—mostly one of a style. Materials are: **Brytonia, Lustrosa, Verzella, Louvella, Fashona.** Handsome Canton crepe linings. Wrappy models—Graceful Capes, Straight-line Coats. Every new fashionable tendency is present. All the popular new shades. Sizes for Juniors, Misses, Women and Stylish Stouts. A saving of $10 to $15 awaits you. Specially priced—

$25 $35 $45

A large assortment of unusual Coats, Wraps and Capes developed of **F. and H. Gerona, Marvella, Lustrosa, Veldyne, Preciosa and Bocheville,** at specially reduced prices for our great Rebuilding Sale. Copies of imported models, one of a kind—something different.

COATS—WRAPS

Quality fabrics, excellent tailoring, and styles that portray Fashion's newest creations. Materials are: **Polaire, Camelane, Overplaids, Velour, Yalama Cloth.** Every coat is silk lined. All the new colors. Sizes for all to 46. They are specially priced for Saturday and Monday at

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Dainty New WAISTS

Pleasing new styles in French Voile, Batiste, Pongee and Dimity—neatly trimmed with Filet and Irish laces—effectively embroidered—hundreds of tailored novelties with dainty color touches—hand-made blouses. Sizes 36 to 46. Very unusual at

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BLOUSES AND OVERBLOUSES

Stylish Paisley Prints and Egyptian novelties in new color effects. Materials are: Canton Crepe, Satin, Tricosham, Crepe de Chine, Georgette Crepe. Every new color is here. Neatly embroidered and beaded creations. All sizes to 46. A remarkable assortment at special prices—

$2.97 and $4.97

HOSIERY

Full fashioned pure silk stockings, chiffon silk stockings and glove silk stockings, double heels, elastic lisle tops, finest stockings ever sold in Lowell—all the new spring colors. They are really wonderful values. Don't miss them **$1.97**

Special sale of highest grade, full fashioned, pure silk stockings, silk all the way up, unusually well finished. They sell for $1.00 more a pair elsewhere. All colors. Specially priced **$2.97**

Stylish Sport SWEATERS

Slip-on models, Tuxedo Sweaters, Coat Sweaters, Jacquette styles, Golf Coats in novelty wool knit effects and silk and wool. All the new colors, all sizes, something different. A real sweater sale—

$1.97 and $2.97

SILK SWEATERS

New novelty effects that are entirely different—Slip-on models, Tuxedo styles—remarkable assortment of combination color sweaters. New Tutankhamen sweater—all sizes, all colors—

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UNDERWEAR

Lowell's most complete assortment of handsome underwear at lowest prices. Chemises, Gowns, Bloomers, Vests, Sets, Pajamas, Boudoir Caps, in Batiste, Radium Silk, Trillum Silk, Crepe de Chine—in fact everything that is new and pretty in dainty underwear. Regular and extra sizes.

Specially Priced for Our Great Rebuilding Sale

MOTHERS! LOOK

Girls' Coats Capes, Wraps

Hundreds of youthful stylish coats, capes, wraps for the little miss. The most complete assortment in Lowell. Something different and exclusive that will make the little one happy. Expertly tailored and finished in every detail. Materials are: Camelaire, Velour, Suedine, Bolivia, Overplaid. Every coat is silk lined. All the new colors. Many with Tams to match. Sizes 2 to 6—7 to 14. Specially priced—

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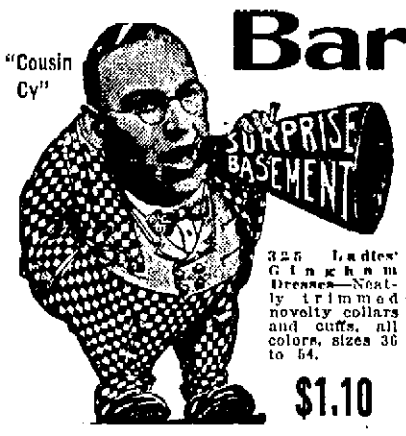

325 Ladies' Gingham Dresses—Neatly trimmed novelty collars and cuffs, all colors, sizes 36 to 54.

$1.10

New Dresses

New spring styles that have just arrived. Materials are **Poiret Twill, Tricotine, Canton Crepe, Satin, Alltyme Crepe and Taffeta, New Paisley Prints.** All colors, 30 styles to select from. All sizes. 320 in the lot. Labor alone cost more than our price. While they last

$8.40

New Suits

New spring styles in fine **Oxford Tricotine and Silvertone,** expertly tailored. Every suit has a fine, silk lining. Labor alone cost double our price. Sizes 14 to 40. Wonderful at

$9.90

New Coats

Stylish spring sport coats—patch pockets, new sleeve and collar effects, all silk lined. Materials are **Camelaire, Polo Cloth, Overplaids and Velours.** All colors. Sizes 16 to 44. 218 in the lot. Come early. While they last,

$9.90

Apron-Dresses

Ladies' apron dresses in fine gingham and percale. Forest City brand, fast colors, 10 styles, all colors. Sizes 36 to 52. You'll say they are wonderful. Not more than three to one customer. Sale price **88c**

300 Girls' Fine Gingham Dresses, stripes, plaids, checks. All colors, sizes 6 to 14, ten styles. A great bargain at **99c**

BOSTON LADIES' OUTFITTERS

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New Sport Skirts

147 New Spring Skirts in **Prunella and Camelaire.** Stripes, plaids, checks, pleated and plain. All colors, all sizes, cut full, well made. The greatest skirt sale ever. Come before they go. Sale price **$2.90**

AGED WOMEN PERISH IN ALMSHOUSE

Seven aged women, inmates of the Allegany County Almshouse at Angelica, N. Y., were burned to death when flames swept the structure in a mysterious midnight fire. Two attendants lost their lives attempting to rescue trapped victims. Above are shown the ruins of the women's dormitory where six women perished.

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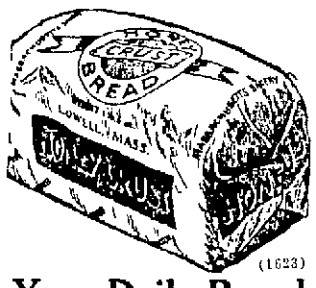

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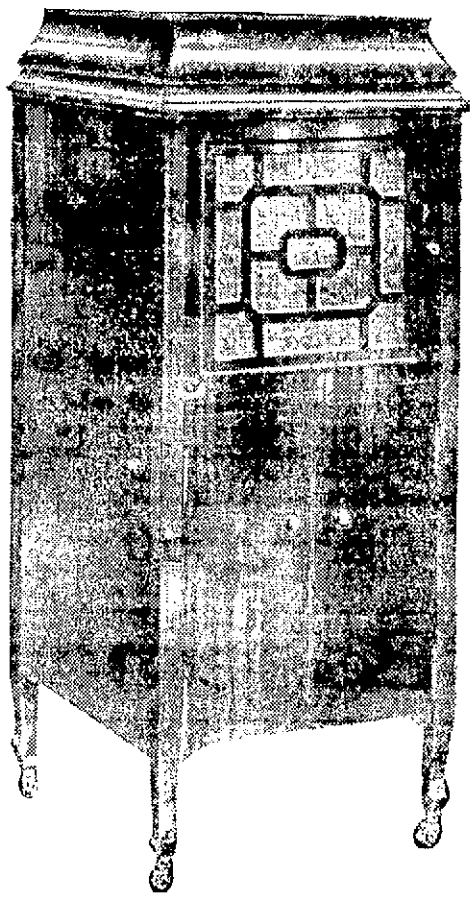

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UNITED STATES DEFICIT $180,000,000

WASHINGTON, March 23.—(By the Associated Press)—Administration hopes for completing the fiscal year ending June 30 with a balanced budget suffered a setback last night with a computation by Director Lord of the budget, indicating a deficit for the 12 months of $180,000,000. His previous estimate of a deficit was around $117,000,000, but, because it now appears likely that any interest payments by the British government will be made in Liberty bonds instead of cash, funds from that source cannot be counted on to aid in cutting down the excess of expenditures over receipts.

It had been expected by the budget bureau that about $65,000,000 would be paid in cash by the British government before the end of the fiscal year, as interest on that country's debt, and that this could be applied to current treasury account. Completion of the refunding agreement, which permits Great Britain to purchase American government bonds in the open market and turn them over to the treasury, has obliged the budget director to alter his calculations.

Plans New Economy Campaign

Director Lord announced a new campaign yesterday to further curtail federal expenditures, although simultaneously with his announcement came an official statement from the treasury that collections of income and profits taxes between March 1 and March 15 would aggregate between $425,000,000 and $450,000,000. In computing the deficit of $180,000,000, Director Lord estimated, as did the treasury, receipts from this quarterly tax payment at $400,000,000.

On the basis of a deficit of $117,000,000, budget officers believed they would effect economies that would sufficiently curtail expenses to wipe out almost the difference between income and outgo. They must now turn elsewhere to find funds to aid them in winning back the ground they lost through the apparent determination of the British government to use the option of paying in Liberty bonds rather than in cash.

Smaller payments have reached the treasury through the shipping board and the navy department to offset about $6,000,000 of the loss through the British refunding arrangement and the belief was expressed that further help may be had from the same quarters. The budget bureau, however, is not optimistic and called attention last night to added expenditures for which the 67th congress provided in its closing days, none of which had been calculated in the previous estimate of a $117,000,000 deficit.

Large Tariff Receipts

Tariff duties are yielding revenue at the rate of almost $2,000,000 a day and customs officials are calculating receipts in excess of $600,000,000 for the year ending June 30.

There were indications yesterday that the amount the government will receive for the sales of surplus war materials will be greater than the total on which Gen. Lord previously had counted. Officials of the war and navy departments are being prodded by the budget bureau to press the disposition of the surplus property, while it is expected in some quarters that administration action on the question of disposing of the merchant ships will bring more money back to the government than was taken into account in earlier calculations.

Gen. Lord declared he regarded President Harding's declaration of hope for a balanced budget as equivalent to "orders to get it done." He will press the economy campaign with renewed vigor, he announced, in an effort to realize the executive's hope.

EINSTEIN ANNOUNCES GREAT DISCOVERY

BERLIN, March 23.—(By Associated Press) A new discovery which, it is believed, will create an even greater sensation than his theory of relativity, has been announced by Prof. Albert Einstein, famous German scientist, upon his arrival at Kantara, Egypt, after his recent trip to Japan with his wife.

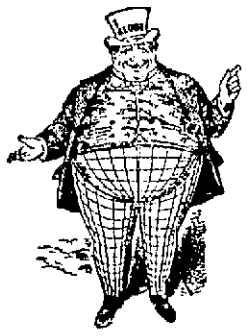
Prof. Einstein is withholding the details of the discovery, stating merely that it concerns the connection between the earth's power of attraction and terrestrial magnetism.

The scientist, according to dispatches received here, declared his mental processes were greatly facilitated by the long sea voyage.

"Between the roaring ocean and the endless canopy of heaven the flight of thoughts is indeed wonderful," he said. "Far from the noises of cities, and above all undisturbed by the horrible telephone, I could attain a concentration of thought which I otherwise could not have achieved."

The Best in New England

The Boston Globe



Kipling Stories

The stories of Rudyard Kipling, those fascinating tales of India and British army life, will remain forever the masterpieces of short-story writing. They are being printed every week in the Sunday Globe Magazine, a beautiful 24-page illustrated magazine, exclusively in the

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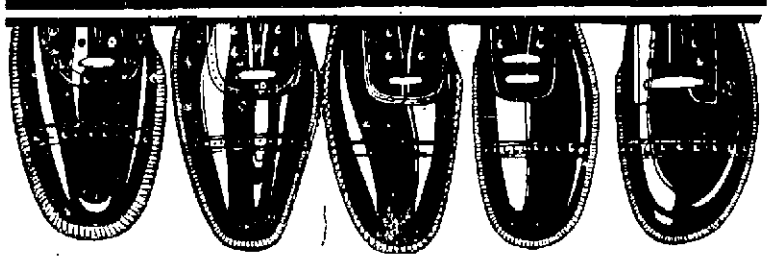

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Women's Novelty Cut-Out Oxfords. Patent leather and satins. Gray combinations. Specially priced **$4.85**

Men's Black and Brown Calf Shoes. Rubber heels and Goodyear welts, **$4.45**

Men's Specially Priced Oxfords. Black and brown calf. Rubber heels. Goodyear welts..... **$3.95**

Gray—the most popular shade worn for spring. Straps and oxfords. Any style heel— **$4.45, $5.45**

Women's Black Suede Oxfords, with patent trim. Low rubber heels, **$3.95**

Novelty Pumps and Oxfords in Latest Styles

For the exchange of good recipes

The Cream Pitcher

BORDEN'S Recipe Club is a unique organization composed of 25,000 women who love to cook.

You can belong to this club too. Membership is open to everybody, because the more members we have, the more interesting it becomes to the rest. For every member is urged to contribute her household ideas, and, especially, her choice recipes for the pleasure and profit of the rest of the members.

Because the club has grown amazingly in the past year the Borden Company has decided to publish this column from time to time in the newspapers so that the club benefits may be extended to as many women as possible.

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Contributions Invited

¶ Probably you have some ideas of your own which will appeal to every other woman in the club. If you have, send them in. All kinds of contributions will be welcome. And the best of them will be printed in this column. Names of contributors will be printed too, unless otherwise requested.

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¶ One of the features of the club is a yearly prize recipe contest. Here are some of the prize winners in last year's contest. When you are at your wits' end to think of something new to eat, try one of these. Variety and flavor are what make the family prefer *your* cooking to that of anybody else!

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LOBSTER PATTY

(Canned lobster may be used in place of fresh)

2 cups diced, boiled lobster, fresh or canned
1 cup mushrooms, broken in small pieces
½ small onion, minced
1 tablespoonful green pepper, minced
1 tablespoonful pimiento, cut in small pieces
3 tablespoonfuls butter
2 tablespoonfuls flour
½ teaspoonful salt
2 egg yolks, beaten
1½ cups Borden's Evaporated Milk
½ cup water
Patty cases or toast points
Dash of cayenne
Dash of nutmeg or mace

Melt the butter in a double boiler. Add the onion, parsley, and green peppers. Stir and cook five minutes. Add the mushrooms and pimiento and cook five minutes. Stir in the flour. Dilute 1½ cups of milk with water and pour in slowly, stirring until it thickens. Add the lobster and cook ten minutes. Just before serving add the remaining milk to the egg yolks. Add to mixture and cook five minutes. Serve in patty cases or on toast points. If preferred, the mushrooms may be omitted and chicken substituted for the lobster.

Miss M. G. Champlin,
New York City

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Did you ever make Kromesquies? They are truly delicious—one of those tidbits no man can resist!

KROMESQUIES

1 cup left-over meat or fish, minced
1 tablespoonful butter
1 tablespoonful flour
Salt and pepper to taste
½ cup Borden's Evaporated Milk
½ cup water
Pastry
1 egg yolk, beaten
Sifted bread crumbs

Make a sauce of the butter, flour and the milk diluted with water. Add the meat or fish and season to taste. If meat is used, a little gravy may be stirred into the mixture. Cut out rounds of pastry rolled thin (about three inches in diameter). Place a spoonful of the mixture on each round. Fold over, after wetting the edges with cold water; press together. Dip in the yolk of egg diluted with one tablespoonful cold water, then in bread crumbs, and fry in deep fat. Serve very hot.

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FAR EAST ATHLETES PROMISE TO SHOW WELL

NEW YORK, March 23—(By the Associated Press.)—A new "oriental menace" is facing the western world.

Far from having any warlike significance, however, the cause of "apprehension" this time is based upon a growing development of athletic prowess in the far east which threatens to challenge the supremacy of American and European stars in various branches of sport.

Comparatively little is realized in this country of the tremendous forward strides which athletics have taken in the past decade in the orient, especially in China, Japan and the Philippines, our island possession. These three nations, banded together in the far eastern athletic association, the major sport governing body, have taken the initiative in putting recreational activities on its present high plane.

As the result of progress which has been unostentatious but none the less effective, the rest of the athletic world is beginning to focus its attention on this far eastern development. Right now particular interest is being manifested in the 1923 far eastern games, a biennial affair modelled along Olympic lines. The meet this year is the sixth since 1913 and will be held in Osaka, Japan, beginning May 21. It promises to witness a calibre of performance comparing favorably with the best in this country and Europe, and in the far east it is looked upon as a preliminary step toward real representation from that part of the world in the Paris Olympics of 1924.

Conditions peculiar to the orient undoubtedly will preclude the possibility of far eastern peoples competing generally on an even footing with their Caucasian rivals, but high class talent in many branches of activity is being produced as a result of systematic training and encouragement. As an example, the list of track and field stars, according to latest reports, includes several 10-second sprinters, while unusual proficiency is being developed in such sports as swimming, tennis and boxing.

Proof of the invasion of western standards also is shown in the program for the far eastern meet which will include competition in volleyball, basketball, rugby football and baseball.

Women, too, are following the leadership of their American and European sisters in taking a more active part in athletics. Tennis and swimming events for feminine participants form a part of the international program.

American leadership and principles have been largely responsible for the athletic awakening in the far east. Interest first was stimulated in the Philippines, where natives proved eager and apt pupils, and has spread throughout the orient.

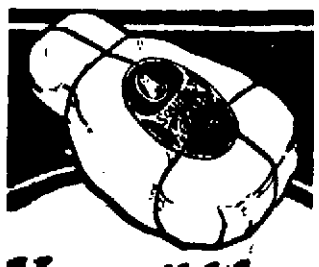
One of the outstanding figures in this development was Elwood S. Brown, of New York, now executive officer of the newly launched national amateur athletic federation, but who for years stimulated athletic activity in the far east as a Y.M.C.A. worker. With others he was instrumental in staging the first far eastern games in 1913, at Manila, and bringing China and later Japan into the far eastern athletic association. Siam and Malaya also were induced to become members of this association, but the outbreak of the world war forced both to withdraw from active participation.

"Reports I have received from the far east indicate that this year's games will be the most successful ever held," Mr. Brown declared in discussing the athletic situation in the orient. "China, Japan and the Philippines all promise to have strong teams in the field. Keen rivalry exists among these nations, and they are anxious to develop talent which will be worth sending to the Olympics at Paris.

"The city of Osaka is building a big concrete stadium for the events and expects to handle average daily crowds of 20,000."

LEAVE IT TO BRIDGET

WOKING, England, March 21.—Every night in years Bridget Thelan, housemaid, had looked under the bed for an intruder. Then she looked and saw one. She grasped him by the collar and made him give back her wrist watch which he'd purloined.



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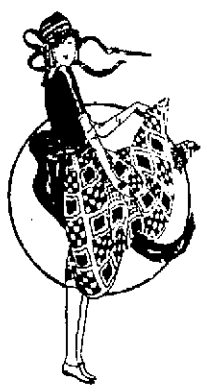

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New Silk Waists and Overblouses, **$1.98, $2.98, $4.98**
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LOWELL DISTRICT COURT

Varied List of Cases on Docket—Heavy Sentences in Liquor Case

James Downey, charged with illegally keeping liquor, maintaining a liquor nuisance, and assaulting an officer, was found guilty of all three complaints in the district court before Judge Frederic A. Fisher this morning and received a total fine of $250 and a sentence of two months to the house of correction, $100 and one month on each of the first two charges and $50 on the third. He appealed and was ordered to recognize in the sum of $700 for his appearance in the superior court on the first Monday in April.

Will Be Heard Tomorrow

The case of William J. Allard, charged with a statutory offence in connection with the alleged assault on a 16-year-old girl in a Middlesex street lodging house last Thursday night, will be heard in the district court tomorrow morning. Since the incident, Allard has been held in $6500 bonds.

Manoog Avedesian, who was arrested with Allard, for carrying a concealed weapon without a license, will also appear tomorrow.

In the district court this morning, George Lannigan pleaded guilty to being drunk. He was arrested by Officer Swanwick in Middlesex street yesterday afternoon. He was ordered to pay a fine of $10.

John H. Bechard walked into the police station yesterday afternoon and asked Deputy Downey to lock him up. He was charged with drunkenness and this morning received a sentence of three months to the house of correction.

Roslde Chateauneuf was granted a continuance until April 2 for illegal keeping.

John D. Pomerleau, on a threatening charge, was allowed a continuance until March 29.

An assault and battery charge against Joseph O. Parent, was continued to tomorrow, bonds being fixed at $200.

Charges of illegal keeping against Albert de' Angelo and Louis Joseph were continued to April 2 and 5 respectively.

Juvenile Session

In the juvenile session of the district court this morning, Bernard King of Boston and Clarence D. Avignon of Waltham, were sentenced to the industrial school at Shirley and the Lyman school at Westboro, respectively, for violation of the rules of the Middlesex County Training school in North Chelmsford.

WOMEN'S GOLF TOURNEY

PINEHURST, N. C., March 23.—A record-breaking field of more than 150 contestants lined up for the start of the qualifying round on the annual North and South Women's Golf tournament today. Miss Glenna Collett, national champion; Miss Marion Hollins, former national champion, and Mrs. Ronald H. Barlow, several times holder of the North and South title, were among the entries.

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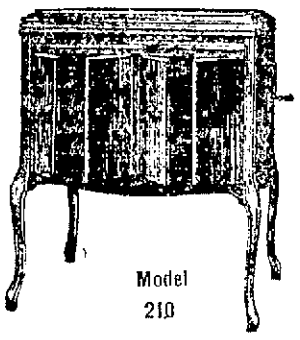

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PARISH HOUSE BURNED

$12,000 Loss Caused by Mysterious Fire in Parish House of St. Peter's at Rockdale

WHITINSVILLE, March 23.—The parish house of St. Peter's church at Rockdale, was burned early today, causing a loss estimated at $12,000. The frame building, originally a church, in addition to its use as a parish house, was occupied by several fraternal orders which lost all their paraphernalia. The origin of the fire is undetermined.

PIGGLY WIGGLY HEAD AWAITS DEVELOPMENTS

MEMPHIS, Tenn., March 23.—Clarence Saunders, president of the Piggly Wiggly Stores, Inc., and central figure in the sensational fluctuation of stock on the New York stock exchange Tuesday when sellers of 25,000 shares were alleged to have been caught "short," was again in non-committal retirement today, awaiting developments after his statement late last night in which he asserted his expectations that "the shares of stock due me will be settled on the proper basis without court action."

"It is unbelievable that the august and all-powerful New York stock exchange is a welcher or that it will allow its members to welch on contracts," Mr. Saunders declared.

He had made no estimate, Mr. Saunders said, of probable profit to the Piggly Wiggly pool as a result of the deal. Three o'clock yesterday afternoon had been fixed as the time limit for "shorts" to settle at $150 a share, with Mr. Saunders, who asserted in Tuesday's "ultimatum" that the price thereafter would be $250.

The Piggly Wiggly head declined to reveal the identity of persons operating with him in support of the pool, whose resources, he said, were "around a hundred million dollars." Members of the pool, however, are known to be capitalists of Memphis and other southern cities.

STATE TO REST TODAY IN HERRIN RIOT TRIAL

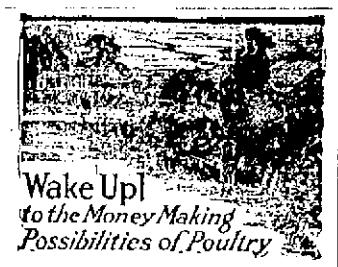
MARION, Ills., March 23. (By the Associated Press.)—The state expected to rest its case in the second Herrin riot trial today. The defense of the six men charged with the murder of Antonio Mulcavich, of Erie, Pa., will probably begin its testimony today.

Albert Officer, a state's witness, yesterday told of the surrender of the non-union miners on the advice of Col. Sam Hunter, representative of the state adjutant general. He said the men had promises from the mob outside the mine that they would not be injured. He identified Hugh Willis, one of the defendants and state executive board member of the Illinois Miners, as the man who drove up to the mine in an automobile just prior to the slayings.

MRS. WEEKS ON WAY TO WASHINGTON

BRUNSWICK, Ga., March 23.—Mrs. John W. Weeks, wife of the secretary of war, who was removed from the yacht Everglades because of illness at this port, yesterday, today was en route to Washington, with her husband on a special train.

A bulletin issued last night by physicians, said an improvement was noted in her condition since coming to land.



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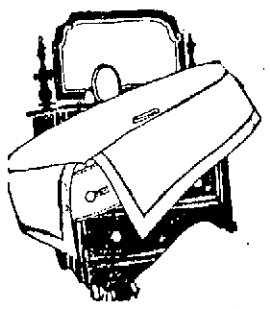

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The Man's Hat

1 A man takes off his hat when riding with a woman in an elevator in a club, hotel, apartment or store; when he stops to speak to a woman on the street; when he must wait for a funeral to pass, when the national "colors" are passing, and when the national anthem is played.

2 A man merely lifts his hat as a conventional gesture to strangers, whenever he must recognize their presence.

3 A man lifts his hat when offering a woman a seat in a car, and again when she thanks him—which she should invariably do.

4 Whenever a man unavoidably obtrudes on a woman, as when meeting her in a narrow passage where he must make way, he lifts his hat.

5 A man lifts his hat and bows when meeting acquaintances or friends, the graciousness of his bow and the cordiality of his smile being the measure of the impression he would create.

Tomorrow: Etiquette of Paying.

AUTHOR FOUND DEAD IN BARN

STAMFORD, Conn., March 23.—Chas. H. Crandall, an author, was found dead in his barn near here today with a bullet wound in the right temple. Apparently he had committed suicide as his housekeeper, Mrs. Huntley, had found a note from him thanking her for her services and then had discovered the body in the barn. She said Mr. Crandall had been in ill health for some time. He was a member of the American Institute of Arts and Sciences and had written extensively for magazines.

URUGUAY NOT TO PRESS LEAGUE PLAN

SANTIAGO, Chile, March 23.—(By the Associated Press) With the arrival of the Uruguayan delegation, it became generally known that Uruguay is not disposed to press upon the Pan-American conference her scheme for a league of American nations.

It is reported that the sentiment of a majority of the delegations including that of the United States is opposed to considering the plan at this conference. This view is said to have been informally communicated to Uruguay.

$30,000 FIRE LOSS IN REVERE FIRE

REVERE, March 23.—The three-story frame Belvidere block in Edward E. Hurr, Jr., square, near Revere beach, was swept by fire today, causing a loss estimated at $30,000. Several stores were burned out, as well as tenements on the upper floors. The fire started in a restaurant on the ground floor.

MRS. MALLORY RECOVERS EYE

PARIS, March 23.—As Mrs. Molla Bjurstedt Mallory's vacation draws to an end, she is beginning to find her tennis eye, says the Herald's Cannes correspondent. The American champion who defeated Miss Kathleen MacKane, in a hard fought match yesterday, meets Mrs. Beamish today. The correspondent asserts that the tournament is likely to end in a final round match between Mrs. Mallory and Miss Elizabeth Ryan.

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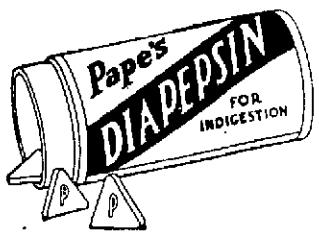

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FILE WILL OF LATE JAMES McDERMOTT

The will of the late James H. McDermott, Lowell's pioneer undertaker, whose funeral took place yesterday, was filed this morning at the probate court at East Cambridge, by Attorney James H. Gilbride, executor of the will.

There are no public bequests in the will and the estate, which consists mostly of valuable property, is bequeathed to a sister-in-law of deceased, Celia McDermott, with whom deceased had made his home for several years past.

The will is dated July 8, 1919, and contained one specific bequest which has lapsed since that time, however. In this bequest deceased devised the property in Locke, South and Gorham streets to the Roman Catholic archbishop of Boston, but this parcel of property is no more included in the estate, as it was seized by right of eminent domain a couple of years ago, by the city, for the widening of Locke street at its junction with Gorham street.

SHOTS EXCHANGED

Vice President of Free Syndicate of Barcelona in Battle

SARGOSSA, Spain, March 23.—The vice president of the Free Syndicate of Barcelona was fired upon when he arrived here yesterday. Uninjured, he promptly returned the fire, wounding several men.

Loss Estimated at $30,000

Continued

of hose lines, but after a steam-drying process the loss chargeable to smoke and water will not be great.

The air shaft situated in one corner of the shower-bath and toilet room in the basement carried the flames to the top of the building almost in an instant, but it was not until they reached the third floor that they broke out of the shaft and spread into the building proper. In their ascent they roared past the forge and wood-turning rooms of the manual training department on the first and second floors hardly without scorching the walls, but the first year manual training room on the third floor was considerably damaged when the walls of the shaft gave way and allowed the fire to spread.

City and school department officials, including Mayor John J. Donovan, Headmaster Henry H. Harris of the high school, Business Agent Henry H. Williams and William F. Thornton, supervisor of janitors, were early at the fire and generously commended the firemen for their work in checking the blaze and confining it to one end of the building.

The firemen had plenty of room in which to work and fought the fire from three sides of the building and from on top of the roof. Water rushed through corridors and down stairways and spread out over the entire floor areas of the building and over the floor of the drill shed in the basement, but left its mark only in debris that soon can be cleaned away. One hundred new service rifles for the boys' regiment were stored in the drill shed, unopened, but when taken from their wooden boxes this morning were found to be undamaged. The rifles standing in the racks also were untouched by water.

Papers in the office of the continuation school and documents pertaining to the work of the girls' vocational school and the manual training department of the high school were salvaged this forenoon in fairly good condition.

The first work undertaken by Headmaster Harris was the transfer of manual training classes from the annex to the new building. This transfer, by the way, will be permanent, for all machinery will be moved into rooms in the main building ready to receive it. This transfer was to have been made during the coming summer vacation period, but the fire has hastened the time and it will be done immediately.

It is believed the girls' vocational and continuation school classes can be resumed next week, while the day high school classes will not be disrupted except in the matter of military drill.

Water did not entirely smother fires in the boilers and engineers had steam up before 8.30 o'clock. The work of repairing the damage began this forenoon and school department officials believe the building may be used again next week.

The fire was first detected by Wallace Allen, a night watchman at the Boott mills. Mr. Allen smelled smoke and sent another watchman, Peter Gagnon, to investigate. Mr. Gagnon discovered the fire and sent in an alarm from box 217.

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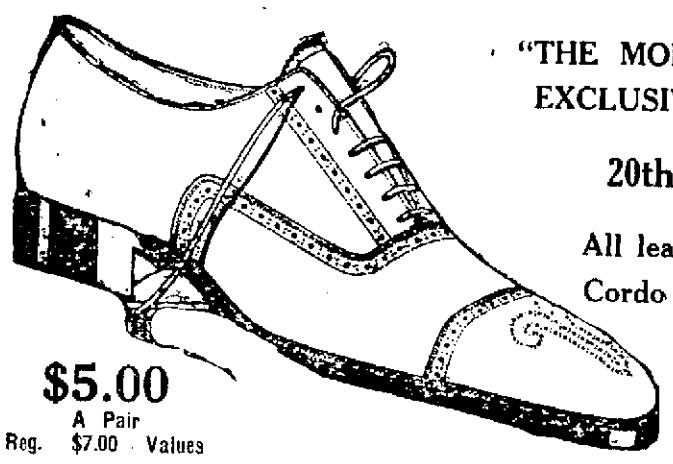

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GOVERNOR BAXTER IS RIGHT

It is refreshing to find Governor Baxter, of Maine, coming out strongly in opposition to the Sheppard-Towner law and declaring that "the state of Maine will not sell her birthright for a mess of pottage." In a message to the legislature vetoing the resolve to accept the provisions of the Sheppard-Towner law, "for the protection, welfare, and hygiene of maternity and infancy, and for other purposes," he protested against its passage as "an unwarranted invasion by the federal government of the sovereign rights of the state of Maine, because it establishes at Washington a bureau, the purpose of which is to invade the privacy of our homes, because it implies that the state of Maine cannot and will not properly care for those of its mothers and children who need assistance, and because it pauperizes our state."

In this respect Governor Baxter has set the state of Maine as a leader in opposition to a movement that threatens state rights throughout the country by the establishment of a bureaucracy at Washington with authority to interfere in the domestic affairs of the people of the various states and to carry on so-called relief work which the state alone can properly administer. Governor Baxter is to be congratulated upon the stand he has taken, and in this case it is sincerely to be hoped that the old slogan, "As goes Maine so goes the country," will be fully verified.

If the Sheppard-Towner law were generally accepted, then there would be a great drive for the Smith-Towner bill which would interfere in educational matters as the Sheppard-Towner in domestic affairs now properly regulated by the individual states. This measure would also compel the large and wealthy states of the north to pay part of the cost of lifting the poorer and unprogressive states of the south up to northern standards. With two such measures firmly established, then bureaucracy would be in the saddle at Washington and neither the rights of the states nor the liberties of the people would have any protection against their insidious interference.

AN EQUITABLE LIVING WAGE

Social workers of Boston have decided that $1788 is the minimum income required to support a family of five in average comfort. This contemplates the upkeep of a family of husband and wife, two sons and a daughter. The degree of comfort which these investigators believe attainable with this annual stipend, would, they say, "afford somewhat more than a bare existence and would provide the essentials of health, decency and comfort and make possible the maintenance of self respect."

We sincerely wish that the social workers who reach these conclusions had done so by a practical demonstration of actually living on this income under the conditions contemplated. We venture to say that in many respects, they would find that they were mistaken as to the comforts attainable.

But it is true that many families of five and even more than five, live on sums much less than $1788. That amount would call for a weekly wage of $34.40; but it is safe to say, that not one third of the mill operatives of Lowell draw $30 per week.

There are families of husband and wife and six or seven children with only the husband's earnings for support of the entire number. How can such a family subsist on $25 a week or as in some cases even less?

The fact that there are many such families in Lowell and other cities makes the living wage question one of great importance.

The man who works in a factory for $25, $20 or less, would be very glad to see an arrangement under which his wage would be increased to $34.40; but nothing of the kind is in sight—not even proposed.

We are glad to find that these investigators state plainly that the family of five that has an income less than $1788 will fall beneath the poverty line. That is true and it is refreshing to find these social workers advocating a living wage which according to their statement would be about $1788 for the head of an average family.

There is a sound economic principle in the following statement from this report:

"The family, which is now endeavoring to subsist on a pre-war level of income, is inevitably being forced below the poverty line to the ultimate detriment of society as a whole.

"The burden must fall somewhere and so far as possible it should be carried by industry rather than by the taxpayer or philanthropist. While wagecutting is doubtless necessary in many instances, such reductions must not go below the level of reasonable subsistence. The goal of normalcy cannot be reached if the process of readjustment is to throw a considerable fraction of the population into the ranks of poverty and want. The principle of the living wage must be recognized if our social and industrial organization is to remain intact throughout the period of economic upheaval incident to the war. But the phrase 'living wage' means nothing unless it is expressed with reference to what it will buy in terms of commodities. It is therefore a problem not of money wages, but of real wages."

To find the living wage in terms of what the dollar will buy in household necessities, should be entirely practical. That should be the basis and thereafter the reward of merit. Skill or efficiency should rise above that base line. In fixing a minimum wage by legislation, some calculation such as that here presented should be made the basis of action, taking the income necessary for subsistence and establishing that as a minimum.

How vastly better such a solution would be than that which some of the bureaucratic reformers at Washington would provide for the husband and wife with a family of small children and an inadequate income! Their panacea would be instruction in birth control which is but a recipe for race suicide.

This matter of setting the scientific minimum income necessary to enable a family of five to subsist in average comfort is one that should be carefully studied. It furnishes the key to a just and equitable living wage.

CAR LOADINGS

Further evidence of development in American trade, if any is needed, is to be found in the report of car loadings for the week ending March 3. The loadings for that week were the largest since the crop moving and the pre-holiday trade in the fall and winter of 1922, and exceed all previous records for this season of the year.

This points not only to an unprecedented volume of trade turnover, but is also of good omen from the viewpoint of railway earnings. News of this sort would be sufficient to start a real boom, if memories of 1918-1919-1920 were not so fresh in the minds of some of our business men in New England and other sections of the country. It is plain that the future augurs well for business to come in almost every line of industry, say what you will about the days that have passed.

TO INVESTIGATE THE RIVER

It is announced that the state department of health will investigate the contamination of the Merrimack which somebody described as being so foul that people living along the banks are obliged to close their windows in the summer time. One would assume from this that the river is little better than an open sewer; but anybody who passes up and down the Merrimack valley can realize what a falsehood this is. It is true that the sewage of some cities enters the Merrimack, but the volume is not sufficient to contaminate the water to the extent claimed at the state house. Somebody wanted the appropriation for an investigation and apparently the point has been carried.

AUTOS

Auto makers continue breaking all records. In January and February they made 145,708 more cars and trucks than in the first three months of any previous year. The February output was 271,000 machines, or at a rate of more than three million a year.

Pedestrians will have to gear themselves up a trifle higher, with more to dodge. There will be no relaxing until the flying machine takes the place of the auto. When it comes it will come as fast as the radio craze.

RAILROADS

Railroads report 15,581 locomotives laid up for repairs. That is 24 per cent of all the engines owned by all the roads. The figure is getting chronic.

Maybe we are barking up the wrong tree when we talk of "car shortage" instead of "locomotive shortage." Motive power is the weakest point of railroad transportation. It would be well to inquire what connection, if any, this locomotive shortage has with the shopworkers' strike.

Can anybody explain why it is that so many out-of-town investors are buying property in this city? How comes it that so many men from Lawrence and Boston can come in here and purchase property at a good price and make it pay? Is there any reason why Lowell investors should be unadept in picking up good bargains in real estate in their own city?

It is an innovation in the right direction to have a committee of citizens sit in at the conference between the cotton mills and their operatives at Fall River. The operatives have demanded an increase of 15 per cent and it is expected that a satisfactory settlement will be reached at the conference to be held this evening.

Any bill that would give the city council control over the expenditure of the appropriation for schools should be killed. Such a bill, we are told, is House measure 912. If so, then it should be sent to the gibbet without the usual formalities.

The action of the American Woolen company in granting a 12½ per cent wage increase cannot fail to have some influence with the cotton mill men in settling the wage question with their employes. They may grant a higher percentage.

SEEN AND HEARD

Frank Day works nights.

Being sensible takes a lot of practice.

Arizona is called the cactus state. So is the state of matrimony.

Maybe you know already that out of pluck is out of luck.

"Billy" Faucet says one couple that shouldn't be divorced is steak and fried potatoes.

A Thought

Garments that have once one rent in them are subject to be torn on every nail, and glasses that are once cracked are soon broken; such is man's good name once tainted with just reproach.—Bishop Hall.

At Short Range

"We had not been hunting long," began a sportsman, boastingly, "when my rifle cracked and there lay a rabbit at my feet." "Had it been dead long?" asked his skeptical friend.—American Legion Weekly.

When East Matched West

A Californian and a New Englander were boasting. "Why," said the Californian, "we grow cabbages so big that an army of soldiers can camp under one." "That's nothing," said the New Englander, "we make copper kettles in New England so big that a thousand men can be riveting one and yet be so far apart they can't hear each other hammer." "Go on," said the Californian, "what would anyone use a kettle of that size for?" "Why to boil your California cabbages in," said the New Englander.—Indianapolis Tribune.

Those War Debts

Senator Borah said at a banquet in Washington: "Europe arms extravagantly and at the same time tells us with reproachful looks that we ought to be ashamed of ourselves for not letting her off her war debt. Europe reminds me of the milkman. A woman said to him one morning: 'Really, this is the limit. Your milk gets worse and worse. I verily believe it's nothing but chalk and water. How dare you advertise it as pure?' 'Madam,' said the milkman reproachfully, 'to the pure all things are pure.'"—Washington Herald.

Capitol Jokes

U. S. Representative John E. Raker hails from California, second district, and this is his favorite story: The difference between theoretical knowledge and practical is illustrated by the story of the farmer who wandered into a chemical laboratory. He found several young chemists busy with retorts and test tubes. "What are you tryin' to do?" he asked. "We're endeavoring," replied one of the students, condescendingly, "to discover or invent a universal solvent." "What's that?" asked the farmer. "A liquid that will dissolve anything." "That's a great idea," agreed the farmer. "When you find it, what you gonna keep it in?"

Time Weighs Heavily

A clock repairer, while carrying a hall clock from a customer's house to his shop, which was only a short distance away, stopped to rest a moment, and glancing across the street saw a man in a slightly inebriated condition gazing at him intently. However, he gave little thought to this, and after a few minutes picked up his burden and proceeded to the foot of the street, where it became necessary to again rest. Across the street, still regarding him with intense interest, stood this same man. Just as the mystified clock repairer was about to move on, this interested observer crossed the street and addressed him in this manner: "Say, mister, can I ask you something?" Upon being answered in the affirmative, he said: "I don't want to seem inquisitive or to butt in on your business, but why in H—— don't you carry a watch?"—American Mutual Magazine.

The Good Waiter

The woman was dining in a small restaurant with her young cousin. "I wonder if the flounder is good?" mused the young man. He made a gesture toward the waiter, and the woman laughed. "Did you ever in your life have a waiter tell you that something wasn't good?" she demanded. "You know he'll just say, 'very good, sir?'" But the waiter was already at the table, a fat, smiling waiter, with pink cheeks and round, blue eyes. "How's the flounder today?" asked the young man, importantly. The waiter knit his brows, peered at the menu card as though he expected to find the answer written there. "Wait just a moment, sir, and I'll see," he said, and bustled off while the woman watched incredulously. In a moment more he returned, beaming and nodding his head. "The flounder is especially fine today, sir—very fresh," he assured him. And as he returned to the kitchen to give the order for two flounders, the woman watched him with admiration in her eyes. "That's what I call a good waiter," she said. "Of course, he may not have gone near the flounders, but he certainly gave the impression of having examined them very carefully before permitting us to eat 'em."—New York Globe.

"The Traveler"

What matter that his crippled feet,
About his room scarce carry him.
His spirit finds adventures meet
In Fez, Fashoda, Suakim.

How can his world seem small and bare,
When his brown eyes, so kind yet keen,
May welcome friends from here and there,
And see in them what they have seen?

When summer settles in his confines,
He dreams of woodlands cool and dim;
He strolls in Dante's haunts, the pines
Of San Vitale sing to him.

And yet at times, when hours creep by,
Measured by crutch and crutch and chair,
His cloistered body seems to cry
For the free world of elsewhere.

Ah! some day, when he shall have drawn
The final, ineffectual breath,
He will set out across the dawn
On that great journey men call death.

—ROBERT GILBERT WELSH.

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MAN ABOUT TOWN

Boom! one! two! three! four! repeated over and over again will soon be heard emanating from the drill shed at the high school as the boys learn the intricacies of the Butts' manual. But the boys this year have something to be thankful for in that they no longer are compelled to do this manual with 10 pound rifles. Their new rifles only weigh 4¾ pounds, less than half the weight of the old ones, and it is a good thing for them. The old rifles were too heavy either to carry or to do the manual with and in some cases military training with this equipment did more harm than good, I believe. Nowadays the freshman boys do not do any military drill, their physical instruction is all gymnasium work and if a boy gets tired there is no objection to his sitting down and resting. In the old days the freshmen took military drill as well as the others, and if one happened to be tall, no matter how slight he may have been, he was put into one of the first companies and was required to drill with the heavy rifle, and regardless of how tired he got during the knock-out or the field-day drill, he would not quit until he fainted. The gymnasium training that the boys are getting in their first year is also improving the appearance of the regiment, for in the "gym" they learn to stand erect and when, on their second year, they take military training, they know how and are physically able to stand as a soldier should.

It seems difficult to realize that Michael J. Monahan is dead. A man of fine physique, in the prime of life, of splendid carriage, his demise emphasizes the uncertainty of life. Michael Monahan was a splendid citizen, a quiet and unobtrusive man in many things, which others are wont to parade and display. I had a chat with him but a few weeks ago in A.O.H. hall when the final reports on the A.O.H. bazaar were read and he never looked better, and incidentally it was remarked by one of the ladies present that he was the picture of health. I can recall quite vividly his smile at the remark, and the painful thought that must come home today to those who were in that company that such a rugged pillar of Hibernianism in Lowell has gone to his eternal rest. He was a fine type of Irish gentleman, lovable, kind and true to every ideal of his race. He loved to engage in movements for the betterment of humanity and his work as president of the St. Vincent de Paul society of St. Peter's parish, done without ostentation, will lay up for him the blessings of many in whose behalf he became vitally interested. Men of his type are rare indeed and like Lycides he is dead before his time. When St. Peter's Holy Name society was on parade he was marshal and invariably led the line and seemed to take pride in being at the head of a religious organization devoted to clean speech and clean living. As one of the ushers of St. Peter's church, he was faithful, courteous and affable, and in many places the good works of Michael J. Monahan will be sadly missed, indeed.

While discussing the various real estate deals, which have been put through in this city in the past few months with a local real estate broker the other day, I was told that the reason most of the property is being sold to Lawrence speculators is that local men are having difficulty in securing the necessary cash from Lowell banks, while the banking institutions of the down-river city are cheerfully lending large amounts on Lowell property. This real estate broker informed me that the chief reason for Lawrence money being invested in Lowell buildings is that the down-river city real estate field has been exhausted, that is the valuable property has been sold over so many times, that there is no more profit to be made there. Several of Lowell's valuable commercial buildings, which have been sold recently have been purchased by residents of Lawrence and it is said that Lawrence capital is watching with eager eye any important parcel that is being placed on the market. "It seems to me," said my friend, "that Lowell financiers should be interested in not allowing the best parcels to drift into the hands of out-of-town speculators and that the local banking institutions should do their utmost to keep Lowell real estate in the hands of Lowell residents.

I have heard favorable comment concerning the proposed new building for the C.M.A.C., which when completed will be second to none of its kind in this part of the state. The C.M.A.C. is the strongest organization in the city among the French-speaking element and one that is a credit to the Oblate Fathers of St. Joseph's parish, for it was organized by the clergy and has progressed mainly through the efforts of the priests of the parish. It combines fraternalism with sociability while at the same time everything possible is being done for the welfare of its members. The organization is planning to spend about $75,000 on remodeling the old building and this will be money well spent, according to the members. The improvements in the quarters will bring about a drive for new members, which it is believed will help to increase the membership roll from 1300 to 2000.

Yesterday was only the second day of spring but the automobilists are evidently trying to rush the season a bit this year, for traffic through the square during the morning was almost equal to the traffic seen there in summer. I suppose the reason for the early rush to get the machines out was because the past winter has been so severe that the owners could not even take the autos out to go to church on Sunday if they wanted to. Parking space in the down-town section between 10 and 12 o'clock was at a premium and forecasted the condition that will rule this summer.

SUPPER AND SOCIAL

The first union supper and social of the Paige Street and Worthen Street baptist churches, was held last evening in the vestry of the Paige Street church with a large attendance. At 6.30 o'clock a bountiful supper was served and at the close of the meal entertainment numbers were given by Mrs. Alice Kennedy, Miss Roda Wotham, Miss Laurel Tucker, Miss Edna Sinnet, Wesley Boynton, Helmar Nilsen, Lisle Sewell, George S. Drew, Miss Helen Baker, Russel M. Fox. The committee in charge of the event was composed as follows: Mrs. W. H. Upham, chairman, Mrs. Charles Crocker, Mrs. Alvin Joy, Mrs. Nathaniel Houston, Mrs. W. S. Cross, Mrs. W. A. Chase, Mrs. S. W. Wiggin, Mrs. Benjamin Heals, Mrs. John Barker, Mrs. Fred Burnham, Mrs. Benjamin Williams, Mrs. Arthur Johnson, Mrs. Harvey and Mrs. Colby.

TRUTH CENTRE MEETING

A meeting of Truth Centre is scheduled to be held this evening at 8 o'clock in the chamber of commerce rooms. It will be the eighth in the series on "Fundamental Principles of Truth." The subject tonight will be "Freedom from Delusions and Deceptions." George H. Weygandt will be the speaker.

Tom Sims Says

Perhaps a grocer in Norwalk, Conn., who sells eggs by the yard sells spaghetti by the dozen.

An Ohio girl of 20 frequently lapses into the personality of a child of four, which is not unusual.

Hollywood reports a movie star is better. Many of them could be.

Man in Atlanta, Ga., who looked into a girl's window will recover, but never look the same again.

Los Angeles leads in recruiting. Every day five men get so mad they go and join the army.

Seattle man, sued for divorce, claimed it was a horse hair on his coat and got away with it.

Rev. Edwards of Philadelphia claims there is no hell. Then what kind of a fix is it Europe is in?

A robber worked all night in Memphis, Tenn., and only made $14.

In Lima, O., the latest booze drink is called "ha ha" and maybe he who laughs last laughs best.

Stingiest roomer lives in Chicago. He didn't want to pay his rent because he had insomnia.

Louisville (Ky.) man who stole an auto to go riding will not go anywhere for six months now.

John Hannifin of Milwaukee has been a detective 38 years. Imagine being baffled 38 years!

When a man hangs around home during the daytime his wife wishes he would do it on a rope.

Fine thing about being in the minority is everybody seems to be.

Flappers don't wear much in winter and about all left of this in summer is the outskirts.

Wouldn't it be nice if we were always as nice as we sometimes are?

Finding a horseshoe or laughing when the boss pulls a joke are considered signs of good luck.

Kites are making some people look up for the first time in months.

A skinny man is not as bad off as a fat man because when they both get in jail they get fatter.

You can say for fleas that they soon go to the dogs.

One thing worse than having a job as a wife is being a stenographer, because it carries no alimony.

The man who said figures didn't lie never paid an income tax.

Baseball recruits are training at Hot Springs to cure cold feet.

Bay won in a 5000-meter race. Wish we had entered our gas meter.

A big fireproof building burned in San Francisco.

Flivvering with Berton Braley

THE DESERT

SALOME, ARIZ.

The Desert is a Bogy that they use t o scare the tourist with.
It really isn't very bad, its air is o f the purest ,with
A tingle and a sparkle that are bound to make you vigorous.
Although of course the dessert sun is frequently quite rigorous.

But oh the tales that we were told of motor-tourist lost in it;
And how they wandered days and days by cruel sand-storms tossed in it!
The roads, they said, were terrible ,untraceable, unseekable,
The roads, they said, were terrible, untraceable, unseekable,

But none the less we took a chance, we found a trail well tramped in it,
And when the desert darkness fell we pitched our tent and camped in it.
No centipedes disturbed our sleep, no rattlesnakes molested us,
Beneath a clear and starry sky we cooked our meal and rested us.

The desert road was not so worse. I've traveled lots of tougher ones,
It had some soft and sandy spots, and other chucky, rougher ones.
But not one single mile of it would worry or would scare a son
Of Mississip' or Alabam'. Boy, there is no comparison!

If ever you should tour the west, don't let the desert frighten you.
The natives cross it every day, and if you've pep and fight in you.
You'll navigate its shifting sands and rocky roads, no doubt of it.
And tell the world it's not so bad as you come safely out of it!

—BERTON BRALEY.

(Tomorrow: Where everybody has a horn to toot.)

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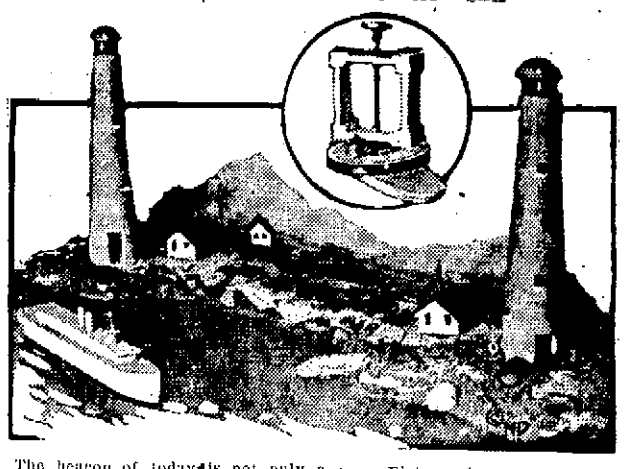

The beacon of today is not only a light to guide ships in the night. It is a regular series of radio flashes giving the location of the "lighthouse" from which the flashes come, so that passing vessels will know where they are. Picture shows models of the U. S. system of radio beacons. These consist of the radio lighthouse and lightship, and—most important—the radio compass (inset above by which any vessel can tell its location in relation to a fixed point along the coast.

Where You Can Listen-in Tonight

6.00-11.00—KYW (Chicago, Ill.) .....400 Meters
6.15- 7.30—WOR (Newark, N. J.) .....400 Meters
6.15-10.00—KDKA (Pittsburgh, Penn.) .....360 Meters
7.00-11.00—WIP (Philadelphia, Penn.) .....400 Meters
7.30- 8.00—WEAF (New York City) .....400 Meters
7.30- 9.30—WBZ (Springfield, Mass.) .....400 Meters
7.30- 9.30—WOC (Davenport, Ia.) .....400 Meters
7.45- 9.30—WGY (Schenectady, N. Y.) .....400 Meters
8.00- 9.00—WSB (Atlanta, Ga.) .....400 Meters
8.00-11.00—WOR (Newark, N. J.) .....400 Meters
8.00-10.00—WWJ (Detroit, Mich.) .....400 Meters
8.15- 9.30—NAA (Arlington, Va.) .....710 Meters
8.30-11.00—WJZ (Newark, N. J.) .....360 Meters
8.30-10.00—WHAS (Louisville, Ky.) .....360 Meters
9.00-11.00—KSD (St. Louis, Mo.) .....400 Meters
10.30-11.30—WGY (Schenectady, N. Y.) .....400 Meters
11.45-1 A. M.—WSB (Atlanta, Ga.) .....400 Meters

DETECTIVES ON THE AIR!

Radio Amateurs Are Checking Up On Interferences

The air will be cleared of interference to radio broadcast listeners if the efforts of the American radio relay league end in success.

This organization of radio amateurs has chosen 300 of its choice "hams" to act as detectives of various forms of interference. Between 7 and 10:30 each night, these detectives will listen in and record call signals of all stations overheard while a broadcasting program is being received.

Radio listeners know how telegraph stations have been spoiling their entertainments. Just as some fine violin solo was being sent over the wires from a 400-meter station, and the novice thought he was tuned in properly, he would hear a buzzing or crackling or whistling which drowned out the music. This interference came from naval, amateur or commercial stations, or they were produced by static.

The A.R.R.L. detectives are classifying these forms of interference so that when all reports are compiled at the Hartford, Conn., headquarters, the officials of the league will know what class to blame for the spoiled evenings.

Classification of these causes of interference, with determination of the most flagrant abuser, if possible, will help government authorities to fix wave lengths for various forms of transmitting stations.

The 600 broadcasting stations, with their 360 and 400-meter wave lengths, have already produced a problem for the department of commerce authorities.

Interference among these has become almost intolerable. What with further interference from static and the thousands of amateur and government stations scattered over the country, the task of clearing up the tangle has become almost a human impossibility.

It will, however, be considerably lightened through the detective work now being undertaken by the A.R.R.L. Establishment of the causes of interference may lead to a better system of radio transmission, with more widely distributed wave lengths, so that as little trouble may be encountered as possible.

Radio Broadcasts

STATION WQAS,
Prince's Store, Lowell

3.30-3.00 Talk on radio by Wilbur H. Hardy, district sales manager of Radio Corp. of America. Selections on the Brunswick phonograph and O'Connell Ampico.

Beginning next week station WQAS will broadcast on the following schedule: Monday, 2.30-3.00 p. m., 6.00-7.30 p. m. Wednesday, 2.20-4.00 p. m. Friday, 2.30-3.00 p. m., 6.00-7.30 p. m.

STATION WGI, MEDFORD HILLSIDE

4 p. m.—Women's club. "The Personnel of a Camp," a talk by Mrs. Eleanor Baldwin Cass. Reproductions on the phonograph and player-piano. Lesson from "The Bride's Own Cooking Primer," read by Ruth E. Newman.

5 p. m.—Girls' story hour, conducted by Miss Eugene L. Randall.

5.30 p. m.—New England weather forecast furnished by the United States weather bureau. Closing report on farmer's produce and live stock markets and butter and eggs reports (485 meters). Closing stock market reports.

6 p. m.—Late news and sports.

6.15 p. m.—Code practice.

6.30 p. m.—Boston police reports.

9.30 p. m.—Evening program: Travelogue by Mr. David M. Cheney. Concert by Ida Mae Werby, dramatic soprano; Rudolpho Fornari, baritone; Raymond Hill, pianist and accompanist. Duo from "Il Trovatore," "Ah, Dove Sei, Crudele," Ida Mae Werby and Rudolpho Fornari; duo from "Don Giovanni," "La ci darem la mano," Ida Mae Werby and Rudolpho Fornari; "Toreador Song," from Carmen; "Si Vous Avez Compres," Rudolpho Fornari; "Vissi Darte," Ida Mae Werby; "Love Sends a Little Gift of Roses," "Kiss Me Again," Ida Mae Werby; piano solo, selected, Mr. Hill.

STATION WNAC, BOSTON

4 p. m.—Dance music by the Shepard Colonial orchestra. Selections on the phonograph and player-piano.

8—9 p. m.—St. Paul's Cathedral. Cantata—"Seven Last Words of Christ," Mr. Arthur Phelps, director; Mr. Robert Hughes, organist. Descriptive notes given before Cantata.

STATION WGY, SCHENECTADY

7.40 p. m.—Health talk, "Breaking Quarantine."

7.45 p. m.—Radio drama, "John Ferguson." Instrumental selection, "Reverie," Berge; WGY instrumental quartet. Tragedy, "John Ferguson," St. John Ervine. Time—Late summer in a year in the early eighties. Act 1—Late afternoon in the house of John Ferguson. Instrumental selection, "When Lights Are Low," Kendall, quartet; Act 2—Same as Act 1, one hour later—dusk. Instrumental selection, "Romance," Borch, quartet; Act 3—The morning of the day after. Instrumental selection, "A Floral Poem," Levy, quartet; Act 4—Late afternoon of the day a fortnight later. Instrumental selection, "Orpheus," Gluck, quartet. Pallophotstone address, Ellis Parker Butler, "Some Impressions of Humor."

10.30 p. m.—Musical program. String quartet selection, Opus 64 No. 5, Hayden, "Allegro Moderato, Adagio Cantabile, Menuetto Allegretto, Finale—Vivice. Hice String quartet. Soprano solos, "Three Questions," Johnson; "Were My Songs With Wings Provided," Hahn, Lois Hardesty; violin duet "Serenade," Godard, Thos. De Stefano and Edward A. Rice; soprano solos, "Don't You Mind the Sorrows," Cowles; "Boats of Mino," Miller, Lois Hardesty; violin solo, "Hungarian Rhapsody," Hauser, Thomas De Stefano; soprano solo, "To You," Rosenbeck, Lois Hardesty; string quartet selections, "Elegie," Strube; "Menuet in E Flat," Mozart "Canzonetta," Mendelssohn quartet, pallophotone address by Jackie Coogan.

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DRAGS WIFE IN SLEIGH

Horse Helpless, Man Hitched Himself to Sleigh and Pulled Sick Wife to Hospital

NORTH ADAMS, March 23—When his horse was unable to plough through the high drifts of Florida Mountain yesterday morning, LeRoy Shippe, a stalwart farmer living in the Mohawk Trail section, hitched himself to the sleigh and dragged his sick wife eight miles to a hospital in this city.

The trip down the mountain road was made in semi-darkness and under extreme difficulty, and required three hours.

Shippe was practically exhausted when he reached the city limits, and he and his wife were taken to the hospital in an automobile.

Shortly after Mrs. Shippe arrived at the hospital a boy was born.

AMUSEMENT NOTES

THE STRAND

Who is responsible for the wildness of youth? Some point to the forgiving and easy parent, others point to the 20th century methods of living, and still others point to youth itself. If you would know then see "Wildness of Youth" as it is shown on the silver screen at the Strand during the week-end. A big cast portrays it. The second feature presents Charles (Buck) Jones in his newest western thriller, "Bells of San Juan." The other features, including a comedy and weekly make up a mighty good bill.

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

Jack Holt's latest Paramount photoplay, "Nobody's Money," now playing at the Merrimack Square theatre is a worth-while comedy filled with laughter and thrills. Wanda Hawley is the leading woman, heading a fine supporting cast. The other feature of the current program is "Drums of Fate," starring pretty Mary Miles Minter in one of the most appealing attractions of her career.

LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

Not in many moons have theatre audiences appeared as enthusiastic as they have been at the performances of "The Bad Man," at the Lowell Opera house this week. The famous comedy, the plot of which is woven around life in the big out-of-doors of the Mexican border, was first made famous by Holbrook Blynn in New York, and since then it has become known and liked all over the country. The hero of the play is that genial ruffian, Pancho Lopez, played by Richard Morgan this week in a masterly manner. The local patrons have applauded the artistry of Mr. Morgan's performance in hearty fashion, for he has perfected the difficult knack of interpreting the subtle character of the bad man "who has a wink in his eye."

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

"That Irishman," who is appearing at the B. F. Keith theatre this week, is none other than Tom Kelly, prince of story tellers, and collector of the humorosities of life. Than Kelly there is no better known maker of fun on the vaudeville stage. Rose & Moon, dancers, are also listed for the week's entertainment, and praise of them is very general. Young, good to look upon, accomplished and novel in what they give, they supply one of the best acts of its general nature seen during the entire season, thus far. An olden time skit, but, for entertainment, right with the more modern type, is "Ahead of the Times," with Thomas J. Ryan specially featured in it. Ryan is a good comedian and a splendid dancer. Among the other good things on the bill are: Patrice & Sullivan, musicians; Moher & Eldridge, comedians; Al Libby, cyclist, and the latest Chaplin picture, "The Pilgrim."

STOPPED RUNAWAY HORSE

Through the quick work of Officer Thomas H. Maroney, a runaway horse was stopped about 9 o'clock last night as it was heading for Central bridge at a rapid clip. The horse was driven to the police station and later delivered to the owner.

GOVERNOR SIGNS BILL

A bill amending the law relative to the raising of money by the Dracut water supply district, recently passed by the legislature, has been signed by the governor. The bill empowers the district to raise by taxation annually a sum with which the income derived from the sale of water and the payments from the town of Dracut for hydrant service is sufficient to pay the annual current expenses instead of a sum not exceeding $2,000 as heretofore. The bill was introduced at the legislature on petition of Walter F. Garland.

SWEATERS AND SASHES

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REPORTS ARE TERMED BOOTLEG PROPAGANDA

NEW YORK, March 23.—E. C. Yellowley, acting state prohibition director, again took issue today with United States coast guard officials and other marine observers, who have reported widespread rum running activities along the Atlantic coast. He asserted that the reported spring drive of liquor smugglers was all a myth put out by bootleggers for "propaganda" purposes.

He also took issue with R. Q. Herrick, his zone enforcement chief, who had told the Associated Press the state prohibition enforcement officers were "practically helpless" and were relying on customs and coast guard officials to put an end to marine rum running.

Asked as to the truth of reports that the government was providing six tugs and a mosquito fleet to operate against runners along the coast, Mr. Yellowley said:

"We have not even asked the government for more ships to combat the activities of the so-called rum armada. I can get along very well with what I have at my disposal now."

COURT ENJOINS GARMENT PICKETS

NEW YORK, March 23.—A sequel to recent disturbances in the garment trades came up yesterday in the supreme court when Justice Erlanger issued an order restraining officials and agents of the American Cloak and Suit Manufacturers association from picketing or interfering with the contract work of R. Sadowsky, Inc., manufacturers of cloaks and suits, 1372 Broadway.

Granting the motion for an injunction Justice Erlanger said:

"It will add nothing to the literature of the law by reciting in detail the acts of violence charged; the forcing of breaches of contract through intimidation; the personal injuries inflicted upon innocent citizens, who in the pursuit of their daily toil seek to make a living for their families. Nor will it add anything by detailing the wholesale denials contained in the opposing affidavits. It may be, however, assumed without fear of successful contradictions that the personal violence which resulted in the injuries set forth are not of divine origin.

"It seems incredible that in free America such things as are complained of can occur with such frequency, with apparently no protection except such as may be obtained in a court of equity."

Conference at Fall River

(Continued)

meeting Monday night Mr. McMahon announced that he would withhold the strike call pending the result of today's conference. He charged that the textile council was in collusion with the manufacturers to bring about a wage increase probably 12½ per cent., which might avert a strike in Fall River.

More Wage Advances

BOSTON, March 23.—Advances in wages of employes of New England woolen mills have been the order of the day since the announcement on Wednesday by the American Woolen company, that the pay of its operatives was to be increased 12½ per cent. on April 30. In the last two days, announcements of increases have been forthcoming from Massachusetts, Maine, New Hampshire, Rhode Island and Connecticut.

Among the mills to follow the lead of American Woolen have been the M. T. Stevens & Sons Co., operating mills at North Andover, Andover, Haverhill, Franklin, N. H., and Pencedale, R. I., the Goodall mills at Sanford, Me., Kennebunk, Me., and Waterboro, Me.; the Guerin Mills, Inc., and five smaller woolen mills at Woonsocket, R. I., the Windham Manufacturing Co., at South Windham, Me., and the Assawage Woolen Co., mills at Danielson, Conn.

383 Cotton Mills in North Carolina

RALEIGH, N. C., March 23.—North Carolina has more textile mills than any state in the Union, according to M. L. Shipman, state commissioner of labor, who announced today that latest figures, showing 383 cotton mills in the state, gave it a rank above Massachusetts.

Massachusetts, however, still holds first place in total value of textile products manufactured, he said, with North Carolina a close second.

Increase Announced

PITTSFIELD, March 23.—All Berkshire county woolen manufacturers have decided to increase the wages of workers 12½ per cent, beginning April 30. Twenty-two hundred hands will received the advance.

To Grant Increase

PROVIDENCE, R. I., March 23.—Three woolen and worsted plants in this city made it known today that they would follow the American Woolen Co., in granting a raise in wages of about 12½ per cent., to take effect April 30. Those granting the increase were the Colwell, the Crown and the Showdon plants, all independents, employing about 700. Several others in the Olneyville textile center of this city stated that they would very likely fall in line within a few days.

12½ Per Cent Increase

METHUEN, March 23.—The Bolton Worsted mills, employing about 100 today announced a 12½ per cent wage increase to be effective April 30.

The International Worsted Co. will also increase the wages of its 250 employes 12½ per cent April 30, according to notices posted in the mill this afternoon.

Readjustment of Wages

NORTH ANDOVER, March 23.—The Davis & Furber Machine Co., today announced that a readjustment of wages would be made April 30. The company employs 800 and makes mill machinery.

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QUESTION STATUS OF ADOPTED DAUGHTER

NEW YORK, March 23—Brothers and sisters of the late Peter Cooper Hewitt, inventor, today submitted to the appellate division supreme court, papers questioning the legal status of his adopted daughter, Ann Cooper Hewitt, who was bequeathed, with Mrs. Hewitt, an equal share in his residuary estate.

PAINFULLY INJURED

Edward Beauregard, of 26 Apple street, employed at the plant of Pratt & Forrest in Dutton street, was painfully injured while at his work this forenoon, when he was struck in the face by a moulder blade. He sustained four deep cuts and it is also feared his cheek bone was fractured. The ambulance was called, but the injured man refused to be taken to the hospital and was removed to his home in an automobile.

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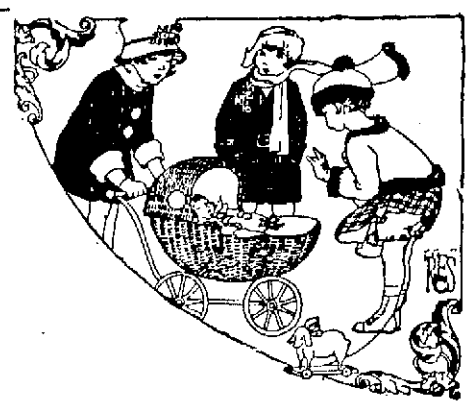

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UNCONDITIONAL EVACUATION

Only Condition Upon Which Discussion to End Ruhr Conflict Can Proceed

Chancellor Cuno Reiterates German Government's Position

MUNICH, March 23.—(By the Associated Press) Unconditional evacuation of the Ruhr was designated by Chancellor Cuno last night as the fundamental pieimise from which any discussion aiming to end the present conflict must proceed.

In a long speech the chancellor reiterated the government's position, asserting that it had not authorized mediation by any third party but that on the other hand it had received numerous "feelers" from unauthorized quarters. He asserted that these proposals constituted "a violation of German honor or common-sense."

Referring to the recent Brussels conference between Premiers Poincare and Theunis, Herr Cuno expressed the opinion that these conversations suggested no progress towards a solution of the Ruhr question. The official communique issued after the conference, failed, in the chancellor's opinion, to dissipate the suspicion that France had not abandoned her aspiration to annex territory.

More recent readings of the Brussels discussions, Herr Cuno asserted, have impressed German officials with the thought that they aimed at a complete overthrow of the Versailles treaty.

FRENCH SEIZE GERMAN PLANT

LONDON, March 23.—The Duesseldorf correspondent of the Times learns that the French have confiscated the entire Deutsche Werk at Siegburg.

The plant, which was formerly a government arsenal, is now operated by a steel company which alleges that the ordinance under which the seizure was made, applies only to government property.

Credits Granted Coal Syndicate

ESSEN, March 23.—(By the Associated Press) A credit of 400,000,000,000 marks has been granted the German coal sindycate by the Berlin government to aid in the continuance of the passive resistance in the Ruhr, according to a French announcement today.

Additional credits, running into hundreds of billions, likewise have been arranged by the central government for the Ruhr industrialists generally, it was asserted.

162 Blast Furnaces Shut Down

PARIS, March 23. (By the Associated Press).—Statistics made available by the ministry of public works show that 162 of the 219 blast furnaces in France have shut down.

Nearly 100 of these furnaces are idle for other reasons than the damage done in the war. Most of them lack coke, of which France normally consumed 1,100,000 tons monthly. A large portion of this fuel came from the Ruhr.

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If your design is considered the best and to make would not cost more than $20, the judges will declare you the winner and a $20 hat is your prize.

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PLAY BALL

The opening of the ante-season Braves-Dodger series at Clearwater, Fla., was given big time trimmings. Here is Judge Landis pitching the first ball.

THE POLICE ARE STILL CONFISCATING STILLS

A 75-gallon still, warm from recent operation, 40 gallons of alleged moonshine and 20 barrels of mash were confiscated by Sergt. Winn and Officers Cooney and Moran of the local liquor squad, assisted by Federal Officers Hall and Sullivan, in a raid conducted by them at 128 Fayette street last night.

The tenement in which the illicit goods were found was unoccupied, save for the plant which extended through every room. The mash, instead of the usual grain variety, consisted of swill, mostly bread, potato peelings and apples. No arrests were made.

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Wild Scene in French Chamber

Continued

heard M. Berthon's accusation, jumped to their feet, all with the exception of the communists and a few of the radicals, cheering Poincare madly.

Deputy Landry, who was presiding, put on his hat as a signal that the session was adjourned, but no one seemed to pay any attention to him.

New Outbreak

After the first uproar had spent itself, the session was adjourned, but pandemonium broke loose again when the chamber reconvened a quarter of an hour later.

The scene followed a demand by Deputy Berthon for immediate discussion of the government's request for supplemental credits for the Ruhr occupation. The premier said he would give the finance commission next week the information it had asked and that the chamber then could fix a date for discussion.

M. Berthon characterized this answer as "equivocal"—and M. Poincare, facing the Communists Berthon and Vaillant-Couturier, retorted:

"If I were as sure of your wisdom and prudence as I am of that of the majority of the chamber, I would ask immediate discussion."

The premier scathingly condemned the communists for their attitude toward the French action in the Ruhr. Then, addressing Vaillant-Couturier, he said:

"You will give an account before the bar of justice for your abominable articles."

GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP FINALS

BELLEAIR HEIGHTS, Fla., March 23.—R. A. Stranahan of Toledo, today faced George E. Morse of Rutland, Vt., in the Belleair amateur golf championship finals. Both men won out yesterday in the semi-finals by brilliant play. Stranahan turned in one of the best rounds of the week with a 75 in his match against G. A. Robert of Arcola. Morse fought to a close finish with Hugh Halsell of Dallas, Tex., former senior champion.

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LEW PALUSO WINS OVER NEWPORT JOHNNY BROWN IN GREAT BOUT

Lowell Fans Deeply Impressed With Sensational Work of Columbia Student-Boxer—Looks Like a Coming Champion—Brown Put Up Game Battle—McDonna Scores Another Knockout

Lowell boxing fans last evening were privileged to witness one of the most promising boxers in the country, when the sensational Lew Paluso, formerly of Salt Lake City, but now a student at Columbia university, came here to meet and defeat Newport Johnny Brown in the main event of the Moody club show at the Crescent rink.

Paluso had been heralded as a coming champion, as a wonderful two-fisted fighters, a clever boxer and one of the most satisfactory performers to break into the game in recent years. And he fulfilled every prediction to the complete satisfaction of a crowd of more than 1000.

Paluso proved a revelation. He outboxed, outfought, out-generaled, and outclassed the game willing and hard hitting Brown and gave those at the ringside about the greatest exhibition of all round skill and effectiveness seen here in many, many days.

Brown entered the ring at a weight disadvantage. He tipped the beam at 129, while Paluso weighed in at 133. The four pounds difference meant a lot as the bout progressed, Paluso ever alive to seize every opening, every advantage, utilized his greater weight in the clinches, and this fact coupled with his greater science and knowledge of the game, proved disastrous to Brown.

And while none in the big hall disputed the justice of the award to Paluso all agreed that Brown put up one of the gamest fights of his career. Though sent back time and again by a vicious blow from the fast hitting Paluso, the Newport boy was ever dangerous, and he always returned for more.

Paluso jabbed and hooked with his left with perfection and despatch. He crossed with his right in masterly fashion. He ducked and side-stepped like a champion, he took all that Brown had, and shook the blows off like a duck sheds water. He caught Brown coming into every exchange, and countered with well placed and forceful punches to head and body. He was as cool as the proverbial cucumber, and had a defense for every maneuver of the earnest, aggressive and hard working Brown.

Seldom, if ever, did a pair of battlers get down to furious action so quickly as did Paluso and Brown. At the tap of the first gong Paluso shot in his left to the face and Brown retaliated with a vicious swing to the head that missed the objective by the narrowest of margins. Paluso then opened up a piston-rod attack that had Brown bewildered, but ever ready to swing his wicked right for a trip to slumberland. Brown did connect as the bout wore on but similar blows that have dropped others to the can- was failed to upset the classy Paluso. Yet the student-boxer respected his opponent and while Brown worked him into several tight places and began to rip them in Paluso never lost his head and invariably had a defense to offset the attack.

The fight went over the distance, ten rounds with sensational work in every session. In the closing rounds Brown suffered from the battering he sustained on the head, particularly around the eyes, and he had difficulty locating the elusive Paluso. Yet he stayed and fought and his gameness and his stirk-to-a-tiveness brought him a tremendous ovation at the close. Paluso left the ring amind a demonstration the like of which has been seldom seen or heard here. It was a great bout, with honors enough for both of the battlers.

The Paluso-Brown bout topped off a fine card, one of the best in months. In the semi-final Nick McDonna added Jimmy Crilley to his long list of kayo victims. McDonna has had 17 fights since entering the game, 14 of which he has won by the knock-out route. After two fairly fast rounds McDonna caught Crilley on the jaw in the third and the Lawrence boy crumpled up and went down. As he did the referee pointed to McDonna. It was short and sweet, for all but the recipient of the sleep-producer.

In the first prelim Johnny McBride of Lawrence outpointed Harry Loring of Charlestown in six peppery rounds. In the other six rounder Arthur Gosselin of Lawrence won over Johnny Ferris, also of Lawrence in a lively number that went the distance.

Jack Cooper, who refereed all the bouts, handled them in a most satisfactory manner. Frank Murphy of Lowell and John McDougall of Haverhill were the judges.

Walker Retains Title

NEWARK, N. J., March 23—Mickey Walker retained his title of world's welterweight champion at the end of a 12-round no-decision bout with Pete Latzo of Scranton last night. The champion received the unanimous verdict of newspapermen at the ringside.

The champion was in command all the way, and although Latzo fought strenuously he was kept mostly on the defensive, taking a severe body beating. At the end of the bout the challenger's right side was a mass of red welts.

With a left hook to the jaw, Walker sent the Scranton man to the floor in the fourth round and in the ninth round he landed a right hook to the jaw that sent the challenger reeling across the ring where he clinched and recovered.

DeSalvo Gets Award

QUINCY, March 23—Paul DeSalvo, Quincy, won a decision over Joe Pangrazie, West Quincy, in the 10-round feature bout of the Granite A. C. show at Music Hall last night.

Midget Smith Wins

ST. LOUIS, March 23—"Midget" Smith of New York, bantamweight, won the newspaper decision over "Pee Wee" Kaiser of St. Louis, in a fast 10-round boxing bout last night. Sport writers credited Smith with winning five rounds, Kaiser two and judged the other three even.

THIRD GAME OF POLO SERIES

With the Score One to One Worcester and Lowell Clash Here Tonight

Great Interest in Series to Determine Championship of National Polo League

With each team having a victory to its credit the Lowell and Worcester polo clubs will meet at the Crescent rink tonight in the third game of their series to determine the championship of the National roller polo league.

Worcester won the first game a week ago tonight by staging a great rally in the third period and forcing the game into overtime. Lowell came back strong last Tuesday night, and won out after a fast and well played game by the score of 8 to 5.

The rival teams realize the importance of tonight's clash as the winner will have the big advantage of needing but one more victory to land the series and the pennant.

The series to date has been a thriller and large crowds have attended the games. The spectacular playing of the Lowell team, with Williams and Hart showing wonderful combination endeavor on the rush line, Harkins playing remarkably at center, Morrison plugging along consistently and effectively at back and Jette going like a house afire in goal, has given Lowell fans confidence in the outcome of the titular classic.

Worcester has a strong team, made stronger in the defensive by the acquisition of the veteran Barney Doherty at halfback in place of Murhead. Fred Jean, the "Hercules of polo" is travelling as of old in both the defensive and offensive departments. His hard and accurate driving has been a big factor in the two games already played. Steve Pierce at second rush is one of the best in the business. He finished the season right behind Duggan in goals scored, both Duggan and Pierce being within a few of the leader, Kid Williams. Earl Pierce, brother of Steve, is a fast and earnest worker. He teams up well with his "big brother" and also fits in perfectly in taking passes from Jean. Conley at goal is one of the best. His work during the regular season was most consistent and he finished the schedule tied with Blount for the lead.

Jack Finnell, who has given complete satisfaction as referee of this series, will again be in charge tonight. He knows the game thoroughly, having played it many years. He's a fair and impartial official, and players respect him and his rulings. When necessary to take care of himself in fistic combat he is there also. For substantiation ask Mossie Conley—he knows.

Tonight's game will start at 8.30.

SPRING AGAIN WITH US

Amateur Baseball Teams Ready for the Season—Emeralds Organize

The Emerald Seconds, who set up such a splendid record on the amateur diamond last season, have re-organized and they plan to pry the lid off tomorrow afternoon, weather permitting.

The Emeralds last season sent a number of reports, challenges, etc., to The Sun, all of which, naturally, were printed. In appreciation of the publicity thus given the team, the manager sends along the following letter:

31 Wiggin st., March 20, '23.
The Lowell Sun,
Sporting editor.

Dear editor:—After having been advertised and backed by The Lowell Sun with such great success in the past two years, the Emerald Seconds desire to have the backing of your paper for at least another baseball year. We are proud of the fact that it was mainly through the efforts of The Sun, in getting us games, printing our reports acceptances challenges, etc., that we won the city championship in our class, the past two seasons.

We are glad to have The Sun as our chief source of advertising because it is the most read sporting paper in the city. The popularity of The Sun's sporting pages is due chiefly to the fact that the columns are always open to all kinds of sports. Among these sports baseball is the leader. That is why we, and many other teams of the city, are so glad to see that every day during the baseball season The Sun has a big part of the sporting pages put aside for amateur baseball.

With due respect to the fact that the baseball season does not open until a month from today and that, maybe, we are rushing the appearance of the amateur baseball column before time, we would like to have you print the following in The Sun at your earliest convenience:

Providing that the grounds are as favorable as they have been for the past week or so and also providing that the weather permits, the Emerald Seconds will open the amateur baseball season in Lowell Saturday afternoon at Emerald Park at 2 o'clock. The Emeralds will have as opponents the Buffaloes for their first game of the season. The Buffaloes having talked so much during the winter months about what they would do to the attempt of the Emeralds to make it three consecutive championship seasons, the Seconds decided to give that team a chance to prove their threats the first game that they played. The teams will play for $5 a side. The umpire will be chosen on the grounds.

Thanking you in advance I remain,
Yours truly,
C. GAUTHIER
Manager of Emeralds.

The Pawtucket Stars have organized for the 1923 baseball season and are out to take on all comers. The team will be a member of the junior twilight league and would like a game or two with any other 17-year-old team in the city before the league opens. The team will consist of the following players: G. Walker, Bat. Cole, W. Bissonette, H. Moisan, A. Robey, R. Tyrell, Bat. Nichols, W. Robarge, Leo Cote, Austin Brosman, F. Gilbeault. Any other players who would like to join communicate with Ray Cote, manager, or G. Walker, Capt. Answer through this paper.

NEW WORLD'S RECORDS

Indoor Track and Field Season Ends With 18 New Marks on the Books

NEW YORK, March 23—(By the Associated Press) The indoor track and field season in the east, viewed by experts as the greatest in athletic history, has come to a close with 18 new records on the books, while numerous others have been equalled.

Standing out in brilliant relief, is the record of Joie W. Ray, who established six new world's marks for distances varying from one and a half miles to 5000 metres and aided in the breaking of a seventh by an Illinois A. C. relay team.

The sensational Chicagoan's performances in the east during the past few months are without a parallel in athletic annals, and stamp him among the greatest American distance runners of all time.

Among others Ray vanquished Willie Ritola, Finnish-American distance star, in the Wilco race and out of this meeting grew one of the keenest rivalries of the season. Ray finished with a decisive edge on his rival, winning three out of five races, one of which went to Ritola as the result of a handicap.

The only real defeat Ray sustained was in a three mile race against Willie Ritola, Finnish-American distance star, who won by a scant few feet and setting a world's record of 14.15 4-5 at the Knights of Columbus meet here February 28. A week later Ray decisively defeated Ritola over a 5000 metre course in the world's record time of 14.54, eclipsing the mark of 15.01 1-5 which the Finn had established but two weeks previously.

The two mile record established by Ray and the three mile mark set by Ritola stood out as the most brilliant performances by these two stars.

Loren Murchison's feat in lowering to 6 1-5 seconds the record for the 60 yard dash, which stood at 6 2-5 seconds since 1882, when it was established by L. E. Myers, ranked among the most sensational performances of the season. H. B. Leaver, Penn flyer, coupled another sprint record which had stood for 20 years when he dashed 70 yards in 7 1-10 seconds at the intercollegiate championship meet, sliding a tenth of a second from the mark first set by W. A. Schick in 1903.

Richmond W. Landon, of the New York A. C. and Leroy Brown, Dartmouth captain and former record holder, shared honors in the high jump when both leaped to a new mark of 6 feet, 5¾ inches, at the Millrose meet.

James J. Connolly, crack Georgetown runner, gained credit for his first world's record when he stepped two thirds of a mile in 2.43 3-5 at the Millrose meet.

CRIQUI DUE TO ARRIVE TOMORROW

NEW YORK, March 23—The advent from France tomorrow night of Eugene Criqui, European featherweight champion, was expected to clear up the uncertainty over the prospect of his meeting with Johnny Kilbane of Cleveland, the world's champion outside New York state, which promoter Tom O'Rourke has insisted is definitely arranged for the Polo Grounds June 2. Criqui is a passenger on the Incoming Paris.

Officials of the state boxing commission were quoted today as declaring that they know nothing of such a bout and Chairman William Muldoon hinted that he would not permit it in this state, since Kilbane is under suspension here and deprived of his title for refusing to accept the challenge of Johnny Dundee, of New York, last summer.

LEADING BASKETBALL SCORER

HANOVER, N. H., March 23.—Captain Thomas Cullen, Jr., of the Dartmouth basketball team led the team in individual scoring the season although he was unable to play after his injury in the game with University of Pennsylvania on Feb. 24. Figures announced yesterday showed that he scored 292 points in 16 games and was particularly successful in foul goal shooting, netting 212 out of 286 free throws.

Cullen, who is a son of Congressman Cullen of Brooklyn, N. Y., left the hospital yesterday.

INTERCOLLEGIATE MEET

PRINCETON, N. J., March 23—Plans for the individual championship events of the 16th annual intercollegiate swimming meet here tonight and tomorrow were completed today and the entries announced. Seventeen colleges have entered 119 men in the eight events.

Winners will be awarded championship medals by the Intercollegiate Swimming association which is sponsoring the events. The colleges that will participate in the meet are Yale, Brown, Rutgers, Princeton, Navy, Columbia, College of City of New York, Stevens, Springfield, Pennsylvania, Amherst, Williams, Swarthmore, Michigan, Wisconsin, Minnesota and Northwestern.

BASKETBALL TONIGHT

The St. Anne's and St. John's basketball teams will engage in the second game of their series in St. Anne's parish house tonight. Both teams are in good trim for the battle and a close contest is expected. The Varnum Independents and a quintet from the Immanuel Baptist church will play a preliminary game.

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Giants' Grounds Also Being Enlarged—When Finished Will Seat 54,500

NEW YORK, March 23—Spring—officially here now—reached the new Yankee stadium today.

While workers continued to put the stadium in condition for the opening game of the season between the American league champions and the Boston Red Sox on April 18, a crew of snow shovelers scraped away the last vestige of winter from the shady nooks of the $2,500,000 structure.

Construction is in its last stages. The last section of the huge grandstand is being finished, and with the expansive bleachers ready for occupancy 75,000 persons can be seated in the great bowl.

When remodeling of the Polo Grounds, home of the New York Giants, is completed, it will be the only baseball field in the country in which a batter can hit a ball into any of the three outfields and make a home run without the ball going into the stands, providing the ball is fielded normally.

This statement was made today by Charles A. Stoneham, president of the Giants. Extension of the seating capacity of the grounds, now about 26,000, will not be finished when the season opens, but about 45,000 will be accommodated the first day. Mr. Stoneham said the final capacity of 54,500 will be available toward the end of June.

"Babe" Makes Homer

NEW YORK, March 23.—Their morale stiffened by the discipline dealt out to erring teammates, the New York Giants fatigued themselves yesterday, beating the San Antonio Bears in an exhibition game, 18 to 5, at San Antonio. The Yankees at New Orleans divided into two teams, the "Rookies" losing 4 to 8, despite a helpful home run by Babe Ruth.

The Brooklyn Superbas won their fifth consecutive game over a rival major league club yesterday, defeating the Washington Senators, 9 to 4.

Boston Teams Busy

BOSTON, March 23.—The bad weather which has hampered the Red Sox in their spring training at Hot Springs, Ark., cleared away yesterday and the squad was put through its paces. Shauno Collins, veteran outfielder, arrived at camp yesterday. Today Manager Frank Chance planned to prepare for a game on Saturday with the Pittsburgh Pirates.

At their St. Petersburgh, Fla., training camp the Braves today were considering ways and means of preventing a repetition of the disaster of yesterday when the St. Louis Cardinals triumphed over them, 8 to 1. Joe Oeschger's pitching kept the Cardinals to one run in the first five innings, but Tim McNamara, one of the best of the young Brave hurlers, was pounced upon for seven runs in the seventh inning.

Guisto Pulls "Homer"

CLEVELAND, March 23—The failure of Louis Guisto, Stuffy McInnis' successor on the Cleveland baseball club, to touch first base beat him out of a home run and was the probable reason for the Indians' defeat by the Cincinnati Reds at Orlando, Fla., yesterday, by a score of 4 to 3. Had Guisto not missed the bag by a few inches, the score would have been 5 to 4 in favor of Cleveland, as Wamby was on second at the time.

Manager McKechnie Pleased

PITTSBURGH, March 23—Manager McKechnie of the Pittsburgh Nationals today expressed satisfaction over the showing made by his players in the first of the intra-club practice games yesterday in which the regulars defeated the Yannigans, 8 to 4.

Home runs by Russell and Tierney were batting features of the game.

DUGGAN LEADS WHALERS TO VICTORY

ROCKLAND, Me., March 23—Flashy work by Duggan, who scored four successive goals in the last period last night, brought victory to the New Bedford Whalers in the second game the the post season series. The summary:

NEW BEDFORD		ROCKLAND
Duggan, lr		lr, St. Aubin
Willey, 2r		2r, Therrien
Dufresne, c		c, Bouchard
Gardner, hb		hb, Cusick
Welch, g		g, Purcell

Rushes: Duggan 9, St. Aubin 6. Stops: Welch 53, Purcell 56. Goals: Duggan 7, Bouchard 2, Therrien 2, St. St. Aubin 1. Score, New Bedford 7, Rockland 1. Refree, Winslow. Timer, Davies.

50 WRESTLING STARS COMPETE

ITHACA, N. Y., March 23.—More than 50 wrestling stars, representing seven eastern universities and colleges, were here today for the 17th annual championships of the intercollegiate wrestling association under the auspices of Cornell university. Preliminary and semi-final rounds were scheduled today and final matches tomorrow.

Cornell, Penn State, Columbia, Yale, Princeton, Lehigh and Pennsylvania were the entries.

GYMNASTS MEET

ANNAPOLIS, Md., March 23—One of the largest fields to enter an intercollegiate gymnastic meet will compete tonight at the United States naval academy, when gymnasts from 10 colleges will battle for the team and individual honors.

100 TO 6 SHOT WINS

Sergt. Murphy Lands Grand National Steeplechase Handicap at Liverpool

LIVERPOOL, March 23. (By the Associated Press.)—Sergt. Murphy, by Gen. Symons, out of Rose Graft, owned by Stephen Sanford, of New York, won the Grand National Steeplechase handicap, valued at approximately 10,000 pounds, run over a course of about four and one-half miles at Aintree today.

Sir Malcolm McAlpine's Shaun Spadah was second, and Major Dewhurst's Conjurer II. was third. Twenty-eight horses ran.

Sergt. Murphy captured this blue ribbon event of the English chasing season by three lengths after a fine race. Six lengths separated Shaun Spadah and Conjurer II. Only four other horses finished, and the other three American entries, J. E. Widener's Duettesie, Foxhall Keene's Masterful and A. S. Cochran's Libretto, were not among them.

The odds against Sergt. Murphy were 100 to 6. The betting on Shaun Spadah was 20 to 1, against and on Conjurer II. 100 to 6 against.

K. OF C. PLANS TWILIGHT BASEBALL TEAM

At the regular meeting of the local council of the Knights of Columbus last night, a committee of five was appointed by Grand Knight Hart to look into the advisability of forming a baseball team to participate in Twilight league games this coming season. This committee consists of Joseph M. Duffy, Michael J. Maloney, John H. Condon, John J. Devlin and Thomas J. Fitzgerald.

The dramatic club committee submitted its report stating that it was intended to stake a comedy drama in the near future. A meeting of the committee will be held in the rooms next Sunday afternoon when a call for candidates to make up the cast will be issued. Thomas J. Beane, William F. Thornton and Daniel S. O'Brien will coach the players.

It was announced that the annual banquet of the state council will be held at the Copley Square hotel, Boston, April 19. Several of the local council officers are planning to attend.

A committee of 10 was appointed to arrange for an entertainment on Patriots eve, April 18. This committee is composed of John V. Donoghue, Patrick J. Nevins, Arthur Rogers, William Keenan, Joseph McMahon, Charles J. Landers, William McGlue, Henry F. Doran, Fred Enwright and D. S. O'Brien.

An Easter Monday dancing party will be held in the assembly hall of the council on April 2. The following will be in charge: Floor director, John M. Gallaghor; assistant floor directors, Eugene Fontaine and Philip J. Breen; chief aid, Patrick J. Nevins.

BROWN COLLEGE WINS WRESTLING HONORS

BOSTON, March 23.—The Brown wrestling team took the New England intercollegiate title last night at Technology, taking the crowns in three classes, while Tech followed with a pair of champions, and Harvard and Dartmouth placed one each. The scores were: Brown 18, Tech 13, Harvard 11 and Dartmouth 8.

Harry Bruner of Tech took the opening bout, gaining a fall in the 115 class over Milton Krook of Harvard, thereby retaining his intercollegiate title for the class. In the second series, Krook was runner up, defeating Brown of Dartmouth.

In the 125 class, Brightman of Brown defeated Smith of Harvard, and Smith defeated Norwood of Tech for second.

Capt. Freedman of Harvard took the title in the 135-pound class after a hard bout with Stanley Dickinson of Brown, in which the new champ was forced hard. Dickinson proved his right to the title of runner up by taking a decision from Henretta of Dartmouth in another hard fought battle.

The 145-pound class found Capt. Tom Dustin of Brown, holder of last year's intercollegiate title in the 135-pound class, taking the 145-pound title in a bout with Korelitz of Harvard. Dustin fought hard to get a fall, but Korelitz was a sticker and the Brown champ had to be satisfied with a referee's decision. Korelitz was beaten in the runner-up series by Borglum of Dartmouth after a hard close bout in which both had advantages for seconds at a time.

Capt. Rockwell Hereford of Tech, new champ in the 158-pound class, took the fastest fall of the evening from Baumann of Dartmouth, when he threw his man with a half scissors and body hold in less than 4m. At the start of the bout, honors seemed about even, but Hereford was able to get his man down early, and was not in danger afterwards.

In the 175-pound class, Bob Spellman of Brown was the victor over Coles of Harvard by a fall in 9m, after one of the best bouts for the meet. Cole was also defeated by Walt Kennett of Tech in the extra bouts for the runner-up points.

Oberlander of Dartmouth, who took the unlimited title by a decision over Hong of Harvard, was forced into an overtime period for his title, and after two extra periods, had thne advantage of 3 minutes, Hong then took the runner-up position from Parkman Sayward of Brown in a bout that was either man's win until the end.

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Macartney's Bargain Basement

TRACK SUITS TOO ABBREVIATED

QUITMAN, Miss., March 23—Clark county officials face the task of an inquiry to determine the damaging effect of men's athletic unions on public morals.

The county grand jury, in its final report, urged that the current models in track suits, basketball outfits and swimming trunks were too abbreviated, suggesting "efforts to establish more modest uniforms" in the county high schools.

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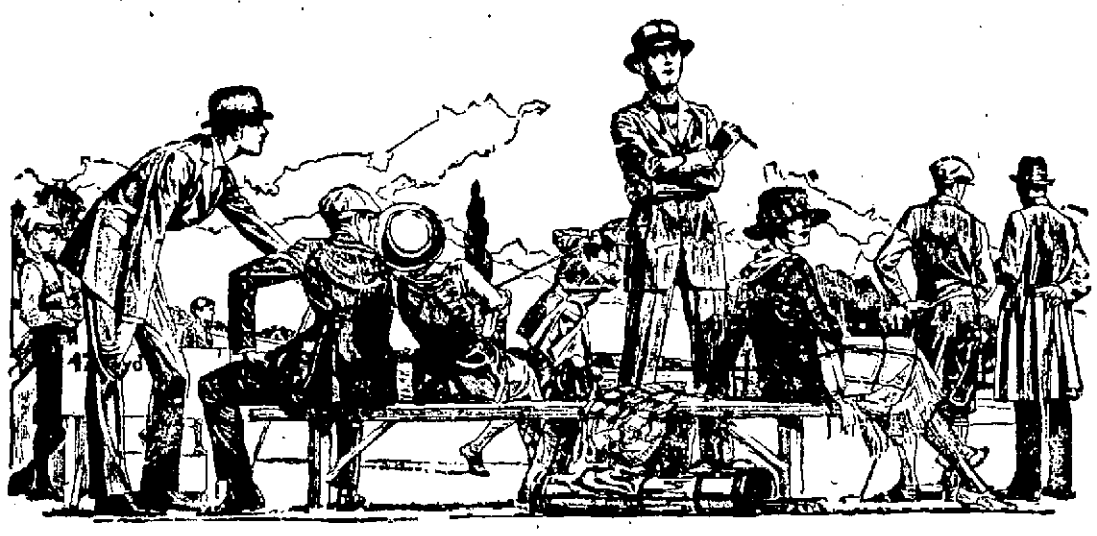

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FOR NATIONAL AMATEUR HOCKEY CHAMPIONSHIP

BOSTON, March 23—The series for the national amateur hockey championship today stood Boston two games won, St. Paul one, toward three victories necessary to win the title.

The next game is set for tomorrow night at the Boston Arena.

Hockey enthusiasts who packed the Arena to the girders last night were still talking today of the way the westerners with little more than a minute to play whipped the puck into the Hub goal twice within three seconds to better the single goal by which Boston had apparently gained the championship. Gobeen, whose rough play previously had brought him several penalties and an eye cut covered by a bandage, was the prime factor in each of the St. Paul goals.

The teams learned with satisfaction when they came to the ice for practice today that the Granites of Toronto, winners of the Allan cup, a significant of the Canadian championship, had agreed to meet with American winners for the international title.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts:— Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Henry C. Hutchinson, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased.

Wherens, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Arthur D. Colby, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the tenth day of April A. D., 1923, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, George F. Lawton, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-second day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three. F. M. ESTY, Register.

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M'TIGUE TO FIGHT GEORGES CARPENTIER

DUBLIN, March 23—(By the Associated Press) Mike McTigue told the correspondent late last evening that he had accepted an offer to fight Georges Carpentier, but that it had not been decided whether the match would be staged in the United States or in Ireland.

Referring to his recent bout with Battling Siki, McTigue said:

"My critics do not realize that I was giving away nearly 28 pounds in weight to Siki. Neither do they sufficiently consider the tremendous disadvantage under which I labored as a result of the cut over my eye in the 11th round, and the breaking of my right thumb in the thirteenth round. If it had not been for the broken thumb there would have been no need for the referee to award the decision. You must remember that I am not a fighter. I am a professional boxer, and prize fighting is not allowed in the United States."

WOMEN GOLFERS COMPETE

NEW HAVEN, Conn., March 23—The annual tournament of the Connecticut Women's Golf association will be contested on the course of the New Haven Country club on June 12 to 15, inclusive, it was announced today. Miss Georgianna Bishop of Bridgeport, present state champion, will defend the title.

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PLANS TO BE LAID BEFORE CONGRESS IN DECEMBER

ST. AUGUSTINE, Fla., March 23.—Revision of the transportation act and liberalization of the immigration laws are among the first matters which will be laid before the congress when it meets in December, as part of the administration's legislative program, according to announcement here today by Senator James E. Watson of Indiana, one of the administration leaders in the senate.

The tariff will not be touched and opposition will be offered to expected efforts to revise the tax laws, the Indiana senator said. He pointed out pitfalls that may await the party if it cannot organize so as to head off expected attempts to restore excess profits taxes and to tax undistributed surplus of corporations.

Just a Minute Please

Did you ever stop to think how nice it would be if you could invite your friends in to tea and be able to serve it in pretty glass cups without danger of burning the fingers, also make the tea in an attractive glass teapot which heat will not break and which can be handled without burning the fingers.

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STEAL $10,000 IN GEMS AS CROWD LOOKS ON

NEW YORK, March 23.—Two bandits who worked so fast that they had fled before a crowd at Broadway and Ninety-second street realized what was going on, smashed with a brick the window of the jewelry store of Silberstein company, 2475 Broadway yesterday afternoon and escaped with diamonds and other gems valued at about $10,000.

One of the men drew a diamond cutter across the plate glass and the other then made a large hole with a brick. Taking several handfuls of gems into their pockets the men ran through the crowd and jumped into an automobile waiting around the corner. A third man was at the wheel and had the motor running. Spectators did not have time to take the license number.

Several pieces of jewelry were picked up from the sidewalk by the crowd. A man who said he had watched the robbery from across the street handed a diamond bracelet worth $600 to Mrs. Isaac Silberstein, wife of one of the proprietors. She was in the office at the rear of the store at the time of the robbery.

Police of the West 100th street station thought the bandits were the same ones who robbed the jewelry shop of Kobrin Bros., at Broadway and 146th street, early in February. At that time the robbers obtained gems valued at more than $8,000 and escaped in a car said to be identical with the one used yesterday.

FIND NO TRACE OF INFANT STRANGLER

Although the local police are still working on the case to establish the party or parties responsible for the alleged strangulation of the two-day-old baby boy who was found in the canal in the Hamilton mill yard last Saturday afternoon, nothing definite has been learned, and it is probable that the murderer will never be known.

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Listerine Tooth Paste. 23c, 3 for 60c
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COAL CLOGS PORTS OF UNITED KINGDOM

NEW YORK, March 23.—The shortage of British dock facilities is the governing factor in the export coal situation, and the inability of collieries to load sufficient vessels to supply the demand in Europe and South America is sending much trade to the United States, according to a study of the situation by the department of commerce.

British colliery owners have increased production to its probable maximum, in response to the demand due to the Ruhr disturbances, but increasing congestion at the ports is making it impossible for merchants to promise deliveries.

That the dock capacity is heavily overtaxed is ascribed to the fact that British dock labor has insisted upon only two eight-hour shifts a day. Strong efforts have been made to put on an additional shift, but with little success, and the matter has been referred to the industrial court, which means a probable delay of six months.

To show the handicap imposed upon the British export trade by their limited shiploading facilities, it was stated publicly by the head of one of the largest South Wales coal shippers that in the last week in February "out of 100,000 cars employed in the coal field on the transport of coal from pit to port, no less than 70,000 loaded with 700,000 tons of coal are standing at the collieries, sidings and docks awaiting shipments." The same authority also declared that 460 vessels, with a carrying capacity of 400,000 tons, were at South Wales ports waiting for that coal.

Advices as to the Scotch coal situation were that on February 15 ninety-four vessels were waiting at the chief Scotch ports, seventy of them on the east coast.

SAFE MELTED OPEN IN $20,000 THEFT

NEW YORK, March 23.—A safe in the jewelry establishment of Max Reichman on the third floor at 121 and 123 Canal street was opened with an acetylene torch Wednesday night and diamonds and jewelry valued at $20,000 were stolen. The burglars, it is believed, had a key to the building, as there was no evidence that any of the doors had been forced. They overlooked $2000 worth of diamonds which had been placed in plaster casts in preparation for setting.

The burglary was discovered by John Quinn, the first employe to reach the store yesterday morning. He found that the place had been thoroughly ransacked. The torch used in opening the safe was lying on the floor. There are many other jewelry shops in the building, but apparently no attempt was made to enter them.

INCREASE FOR TALBOT MILL EMPLOYES

Notices were posted today at the plant of the Talbot mills in North Billerica, announcing an increase in wages for all employes of the mill, which will go into effect April 30. The notice is signed by Thos. Talbot, treasurer of the company, but the amount of the increase is not stated.

Indian Killed, Nine Captured

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, March 23.—Word was received here today that in a skirmish late yesterday between the renegade Piutes and a white posse near Wash Comb, southeastern Utah, one Indian was killed and five braves and four squaws were captured.

Rome's Telegraph Office Damaged by Fire

ROME, March 23.—(By the Associated Press)—Rome's central telegraph office was seriously damaged by fire today. Many of the automatic sending instruments were destroyed. Telegraphic communication with foreign countries was interrupted but service to the principal Italian cities was partly restored. The damage was several million lire.

Local Textile Workers

Continued

tended. Reports were received from Fall River and duly digested.

Mr. Hanley was notified this noon that the Fall River situation was practically unchanged today, but that wage discussions are approaching a head. Important developments are looked for in Fall River this afternoon, when the executive committee of the Cotton Manufacturers' association was to meet textile workers' representatives in that city to discuss the demand of the latter for an immediate wage increase.

The members of the citizens' committee, who will take no actual part in the wage deliberations, but will act as "listeners" at today's important conference, were selected by both parties to the negotiations. They consist of well known Fall River clergymen, Rt. Rev. Mgr. James E. Cassidy, Rt. Rev. Mgr. Jean A. Provost, Rev. Dr. E. C. Herrick, Rev. Manual A. Silva and Judge Edward F. Hanify.

President McMahon of the United Textile Workers has stated that he will withhold the strike call in Fall River pending the result of today's conference. He charges that the outlaw textile council in Fall River, led by Tanney, is in "collusion" with the manufacturers to bring about a small wage increase, probably 12½ per cent, which might avert a strike in Fall River.

CAPTURE RUM BOAT

HIGHLANDS, N. J., March 23.—Coast guards from the Sandy Hook station today captured a rum-running motor boat with 60 cases of liquor. The smugglers beached their craft near Atlantic Highlands and escaped.

TOOK $15,00 IN GEMS

NEW YORK, March 23.—A young man hurled a brick through the window of J. Schulman's jewelry store in the lower East Side today, snatched six diamond rings worth $15,000, and escaped.

BATH, Me., March 23.—Read Nichols, the oldest citizen of this city, died today. He observed his 101st birthday on March 11. He came here at the age of 17 from Bowdoinham, where he was born. His first vote for president was cast for James K. Polk.

Great Relief For Asthma

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I would be pleased to meet you personally and explain more fully how much your medicine has helped me."

(Signed) E. W. DUBOIS,
45 Orient Stret, Worcester, Mass.

This is not an exceptional case, as the Lung Healer has proven wonderfully effective in the relief of asthma as well as other Lung and Bronchial troubles. Made by H. J. Allen, Druggist, West Lynn, Mass.

Sold in Lowell by A. W. Dows & Co., J. R. Brunelle, O. H. Campbell, Lowell Pharmacy, J. J. Brown Wm. H. Noonan, T. C. Walker, Fred Howard, F. Butler.—Adv.

"Be sure you get Allen's Lung Healer. Accept nothing else with a similar name."

MANY GOING TO EUROPE

Rush of American Tourists Likely to Reach Pre-War Figure

NEW YORK, March 23.—The rush of Americans to Europe this year may equal that of some of the best pre-war seasons and run far ahead of the figures of last year, when the departures in the first and second cabins were 182,000. This is the belief of shipping experts of practically all the big lines plying between New York and European ports.

But for the Ruhr imbroglio, it is said, the season probably would be one of the greatest in transatlantic records. Should Germany and France come to an understanding before the end of April it is likely that thousands who are held back from reserving accommodations by a dim fear of another war in Europe may tax the capacity of the great carriers, although experts think this unlikely, as the new tonnage is ample to take care of any reasonable excess of travelers.

Bookings for April and May are almost equal to those of last year, and the June and July reservations are as good as the lines expected. Ships of the "monster class," such as the White Star liner Majestic, the Cunarder Aquitania, which sailed recently with more than a thousand passengers; the French liner Paris and the Cunarder Berengaria still have room for cabin voyagers in their April and May sailings, but they are pretty well booked up for the summer months.

About a dozen ships not in the Atlantic trade last year will be plying the lanes this season. Chief among this fleet is the superliner Leviathan, which is expected to be ready for her maiden trip as the flagship of the United States lines sometime in June. Despite uncertainty as to the exact date of her departure, she is expected to be booked to capacity long before she is ready to sail. Already there have been more than 500 applications for passage aboard her.

Another new ship that will help take care of the summer exodus is the Hamburg-American liner Albert Ballin, operated in conjunction with ships of the United American lines, due to sail hence early in July. She is of 22,000 gross tons and more than 600 feet long, the biggest German liner that will be in commission this year.

The greatest of the Red Star fleet, the New Belgenland, shortly due here on her maiden trip from Antwerp, will accommodate 1100 first and second cabin passengers, and the Holland-America liner Veendam, scheduled to make her initial trip from this port for Boulogne and Rotterdam on May 5, can take care of nearly 700 in her first and second cabins.

A large part of the multitude booked for the spring and early summer sailings is made up of business folk, mostly buyers, but the bulk is composed of well-to-do American pleasure seekers. A representative of the International Mercantile Marine said that if peace in the Ruhr should come swiftly the benefit to passenger traffic to continental Europe would be enormous and there would be business enough for all the added ships of huge transatlantic fleet, larger than any plying the lanes even in the best of the pre-war years.

DEATH UNSOLVED

Treading along the edge of sensational scandal which may involve prominent New Yorkers, detectives are making every effort to discover the slayer of the "Butterfly of Broadway," Dorothy King (above), also known as Keenan, who was found chloroformed in her apartment.

DEXTER BUYS STORE

The building located in Fletcher street near the corner of Dutton, formerly occupied by the T. J. McDonald Grain Co., was bought today by Royal K. Dexter, who will use it for storage purposes.

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STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK, March 23—Conflicting price movements took place at the opening of today's stock market. The main tendency was upward. A revival of heavy buying in the oil group sent Tidewater up 1¾ points with the other domestic oils improving fractionally on initial sales. Keystone Tire and Granby Copper each sold at new high records for the year. Slight heaviness was noted in some of the popular industrial favorites.

Maryland Oil, selling ex-dividend one per cent, made up its dividend and advanced 1¼ points above yesterday's closing price, creating a new high record. New peak prices also were established by Barnsdall A, up 1, Union Bag and Paper up 1, and Computing, Tabulating & Recording, up 2¼. California Petroleum and Hayes Wheel each advanced 1¼, and American Ice and United Railways & Investment preferred, each rose 1½. Mack Truck dropped a point. Foreign exchanges opened irregular. Demand Sterling rose ¼ of a cent to $4.69¼, but French francs dropped 12 points to 6.54 cents.

The closing was heavy. Short covering and the marking up of the shipping group checked the general decline and steadied the list in the late dealings. Net losses, however, largely exceeded net gains at the close.

Cotton Market

NEW YORK, March 23—Cotton futures opened steady. March 30.45; May 30.62; July 29.65; Oct. 26.30; Dec. 26.79.

Cotton futures closed easy. May 30.10; July 29.25; Oct. 25.67; Dec. 25.13; Jan. 24.88.

Money Market

NEW YORK, March 23.—Foreign exchanges easy. Great Britain demand $4.69⅛; cables $4.69¾; 60-day bills on banks $4.67¼. France demand 6.55½; cables 6.56. Italy demand 4.89½; cables 4.99. Belgium demand 5.70; cables 5.70½. Germany demand .0048; cables .0048¼. Holland demand 39.45; cables 39.48. Norway demand 18.09. Sweden demand 26.58. Denmark demand 19.26. Switzerland demand 18.49. Spain demand 16.40. Greece demand 1.19. Poland demand .0026. Czecho-Slovakia demand 2.97. Argentine demand 37.12. Brazil demand 11.20. Montreal 97¾.

NEW YORK MARKET

	High	Low	Close
Allis Chal	49⅝	49	49
Am Beet Sug	46¼	44¼	44¾
Am Can	101½	99⅞	100⅛
Am Car Fdy	183	183	183
Am Col Oil	15½	15¼	15¾
Am H & L pfd	71¾	71½	71½
Am Loco	136	134	134
Am Smelt	65½	64⅝	65¼
do pfd	100⅞	100⅞	100⅞
Am Sug	80½	79½	80
Am Sumatra	32	31¾	32½
Am Wool	107¾	106⅝	107⅝
Anaconda	51⅝	50⅝	51
Atch	108⅝	108⅜	108⅜
do pfd	89⅝	89¼	89⅝
At Gulf	31¼	29⅞	30⅝
Baldwin	141¾	139¾	140
B & O	54¾	53¾	54
Beth Steel B	68¾	67¾	68¼
do pfd 8%	108½	108⅛	108½
B R T	7⅛	7	7
Cal Pete	102⅝	99¼	99¾
Can Pac	149¾	148	148
Cent Leather	38⅝	38	38⅛
Ches & O	73⅝	72½	72¾
C & Gt W pf	14⅞	14½	14½
C, Mil & St Paul	25	24⅝	24½
C R I & P	27¼	26¼	26⅝
Chile	28⅞	28⅝	28⅝
Col G & E	111¼	109¾	109¾
Col Fuel	29½	29½	29½
Con Gas	67⅞	66¼	67⅝
Corn Pro	132⅝	130	130
Cru Steel	82⅝	81½	81½
Cuba Cane	17⅝	17⅛	17¼
Del & Hud	117	117	117
Erie	13	12½	12½
do pf	20¼	19⅝	19⅞
do 2nd	13½	13	13
Gen Elec	186	184½	185
Gen Motors	15	14⅞	15
Gt No pf	77	76⅝	76⅝
Gt N Ore ctf	35¾	34¾	35
Ill Cen	115½	115¼	115¼
Int Met Com pf	⅝	⅝	⅝
Int Mer Mar pf	43⅝	41¾	42¾
Int Paper	54⅝	54¼	54¼
*Kennecott	42⅝	41⅝	42⅞
K City S	23⅞	23½	23½
Lehigh Valley	67⅝	67¼	67⅝
Mex Pete	270	270	270
Mldvale	31¼	30⅝	30⅝
Maxwell Motors	58¾	56¾	57
do pfd do first	18⅝	17¼	17⅝
Mother Lode	13⅛	12¾	12¾
Mo Pac	17⅞	17½	17½
Nat Lead	133	132½	132½
N Y Air B	37½	37½	37½
N Y Cent	98¾	97¾	98¼
NY, NH & H	20	19⅝	19⅝
Nor & West	113	113	113
No Pac	78½	78	78½
Ont & West	19¾	19¼	19¼
Pan Am	81¼	79⅝	80
Penn	46½	46¼	46¼
Peo Gas	91⅞	91½	91½
Pere Marquette	41⅛	40	40¼
Pitts Coal	66½	66⅛	66½
P W V	38⅝	37⅝	37⅝
Pres Steel	61½	61½	61½
Pullman	130¼	129	129
Pure Oil	29½	29¼	29¼
Ry St Sp Co	120¼	120	120⅛
Ry St Sp Co	120¼	120	120⅛
Reading	78½	77⅝	78
Rep I & S	64½	62¾	64⅛
Royal D	51½	56⅞	56⅞
Sinclair	37⅞	36½	37⅛
Sloss	54	54	54
So Pac	93½	92¾	93
So Ry	34½	34	34¼
do pfd	70⅝	70⅛	70⅜
Studebaker	124½	122⅝	123
Tenn Cop	12¼	12¼	12⅜
Tex Pac	28⅝	27⅞	27⅞
U Pac	142¾	141¼	141¼
do pf	74¼	74	74
U S Food Pro	5⅝	5½	5⅞
U S Rub	64⅝	62¾	62⅞
U S Steel	108⅛	106¾	107
do pfd	119¼	119	119
Utah Copper	74¾	72¾	73
Va Chem	22¾	22⅛	22½
Wab	11¾	11⅛	11⅛
do A	33⅞	33⅛	33¼
Westinghouse	64¾	64⅛	64⅛
Wisconsin Central	32	32	32

BOSTON MARKET

	High	Low	Close
Ahmeek	81½	81⅛	81¼
Am Pneu pf	17⅞	17⅝	17¾
Am T & T	122⅞	122½	122½
Am Wool pf	114¾	114¾	114¾
Arcadian	3⅞	3⅞	3⅞
Ariz Com	13⅝	13½	13½
Bos & Me	18⅝	18⅝	18⅝
Cal & Ariz	62½	62½	62½
Cal & Hec	387	375	378
Carson Hill	8	8	8
Centen	12	12	12
Cop Range	44	43½	43½
Davis Daly	4	4	4
E Butte	10⅞	10¾	10¾
Eastern S S	127	123½	124¼
Elder Corp	8½	8½	8⅜
East M F G	11¾	11¼	11¼
Franklin	2⅝	2⅝	2¾
Granby	33	31¼	31⅜
Island Oil	½	½	½
Isl Cr Coal	111	109	110¾
Isle Roy	30¼	30¼	30¼
Kerr Lake	4¼	4¼	4¼
Lib McN	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝
Mass	3⅛	3⅛	3⅛
Mass Gas	86	85¼	86
do pf	71	71	71
Mohawk	63	63	63
Nat Leather	7½	7½	7½
Nevada	16⅝	16¼	16⅜
New Cornelia	23	22	22
N E Tel	116½	116½	116½
No Butte	10¾	10½	10½
Ojibway	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
Orpheum	18½	18½	18½
Quincy	47	46¾	46¾
Ray Con	15⅞	15¾	15¾
St Mary	51	51	51
Stewart	123½	119	120
Sup & Bos	2⅞	2¼	2⅜
Swift & Co	106¼	106	106
Swift Intl	20⅛	19½	19½
Trinity	1½	1⅛	1⅛
U Apex	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝
U Sh M	54½	53¾	53¾
do pf	27½	27¼	27¼
U S Smel	40	40	40
Ventura	27⅞	27¼	27¼
Waldorf	43⅛	43⅛	43⅛
Waltham Watch	11	10½	11

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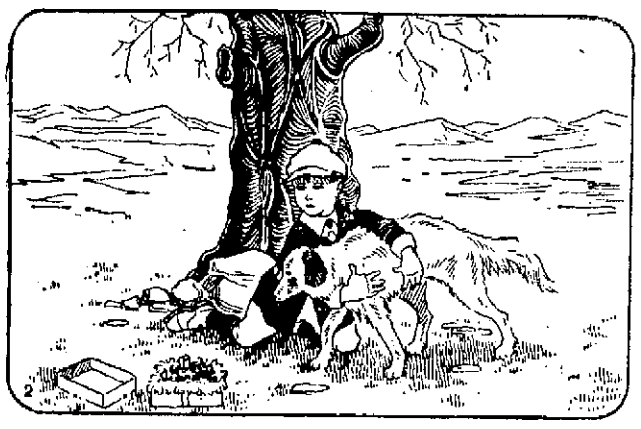
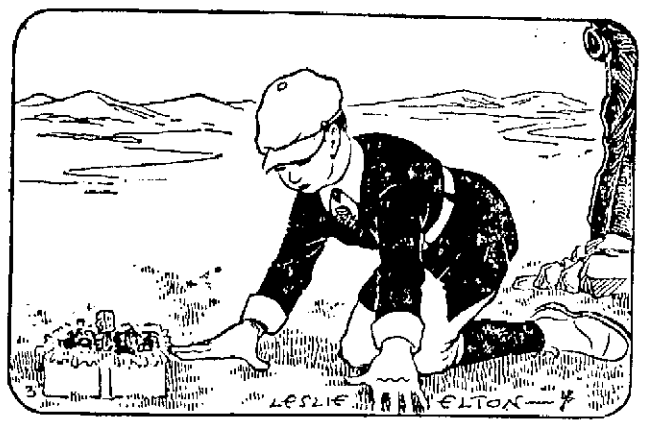
Jack Daw in Candy Land. Chapter 2

When the paper was removed from his candy box, Jack's eyes sparkled at the thought of a treat ahead of him. Then he got a real surprise! As he took the cover off the box and folded the fancy edge paper back, a little caramel jumped right out and shouted, "Hurrah, I'm free again!"



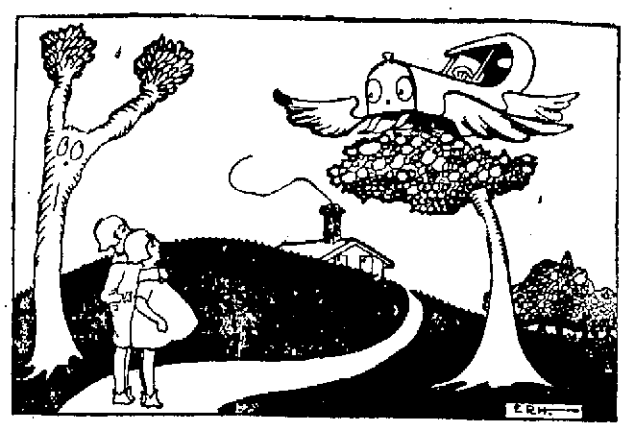
Now Flip, Jack's faithful dog, was very fond of candy and he would have gobbled the poor little caramel right up if Jack hadn't grabbed hold of him. "Mustn't touch that caramel," shouted Jack. "It's a different kind than we've ever seen before. It can talk, and I want to chat with it."



It seemed that the caramel knew that Jack had saved his life, for he bowed and shouted, "Thank you very much. I'm always afraid of dogs and little boys for they always eat me, but you seem to be a good boy and I feel safe." "You are safe," replied Jack. "But tell me, who are you?" (Continued.)

Adventures of The Twins

THE AUTO WITH WINGS



LOOKING UP THEY SAW AN AUTOMOBILE WITH WINGS, ROOSTING ON A TREE.

When the twins left the queer mixed-up school, they heard a queer flapping sound overhead

And looking up they saw an automobile with wings, roosting on a tree.

Of all the queer things they had seen in Mix-Up Land, this was the queerest.

"Want a ride?" offered the automobile obligingly.

"Y-yes, thank you," answered Nancy. "If it's quite safe."

"Safe?" laughed the automobile. "Why, I'm just as safe as a balloon with a hole in it. Nothing could be safer than that."

Nick laughed. "Mix-Up Land is such a queer place we don't know what is safe and what isn't. Why do you fly instead of run?"

"Why does the sun shine at night, and the moon shine in the day time?" asked the queer automobile. "Why does anything do anything in Mix-Up Land? Why do elephants chirp and sparrows trumpet, why do lions bark and dogs roar, why is the grass blue and the sky green, why is—"

"Oh, oh, oh!" cried Nancy, putting her hands over her ears. "Don't say anything more, please. We are getting so mixed up we'll soon be Mix-Uppers ourselves."

The automobile rattled its bolts.

"Well, you asked me, so I was just telling you," it answered. "But I'm not so crazy as I look. Automobiles that fly have some advantage over automobiles that roll on the ground. Do you still wish to get to Jack Straw's house on top of the steeple?"

"Yes, yes, yes?" cried both twins at once. "We want to put him out and put King Even-Steven in."

"Then climb up and jump in," said the automobile. "Perhaps if you guide me right, I can run into it and wreck it."

With shouts of glee, in scrambled the twins, and away flew the automobile.

Mix-Up Land looked like a game of a hundred colors spread out below.

(To Be Continued.)

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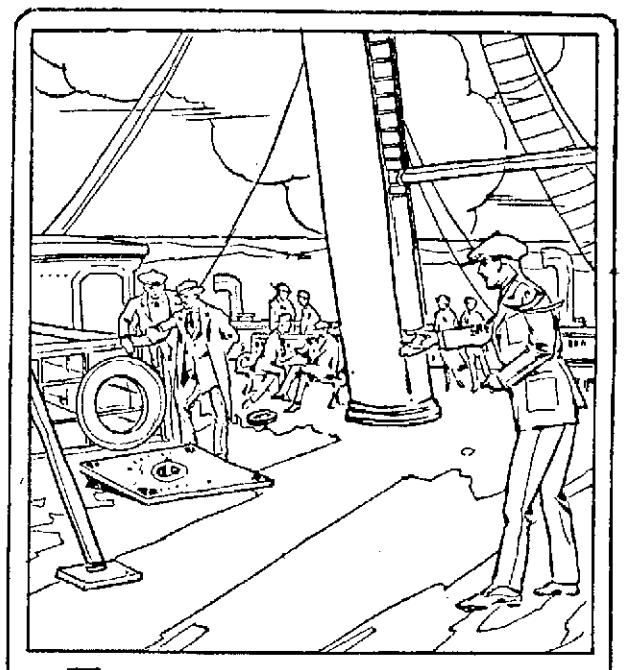
—IN FOREIGN LANDS—

TINTED TRAVELS

Sketches by L. W. Redner. Verses by Hal Cochran.

Color the picture with paint or crayons

SPORT ON BOARD



The larger ocean liners have
Real comforts of all sorts—
From libraries and swimming pools
To many brands of sports—

Non-Theatrical Film Men Elect Their Own "Hays"

By JAMES W. DEAN

NEW YORK, March 19.—The motion picture theaters of the United States are attended regularly by 68.2 per cent of the people, according to data on file in Will Hay's office. In towns of 25,000 more than the total population attend the movies during the week.

If these figures—they cannot be definite—are even approximately correct they point out that three of every ten people seldom see movies in the theaters. They may see motion pictures in school rooms, churches and community centres. Films shown in those places are listed as non-theatrical films. Under that classification fall scenics, travelogues, folklore, wild animal life and historical and biblical romances.

A good name for the non-theatrical film, it appears at first glance, would be the non-bunk film.

Heretofore there has been no organization of the films distributing non-theatrical films. Francis M. Hugo, former state secretary of New York, has just been made chairman of the directors of one of the larger non-theatrical firms under a plan to affiliate all the non-theatrical firms under him in an organization similar to the Hays organization.

"The non-theatrical firms have made spasmodic efforts to reach the great mass of people who do not attend theaters," Hugo told me today. "We are now amalgamating these efforts to the end of getting the non-theatrical film before the vast audience that awaits it.

"We are now filming the life of Lincoln and the history of the United States and we believe those films will be exhibited in every school in the country.

If this proposed organization headed by Hugo will keep clear of all existing organizations in the motion picture industry it will be enabled to accomplish untold good for the motion picture as an art.

Many excellent films, such as the Scandinavian version of "Hamlet" with Asta Neilsen starring, never reach the public because the industry as organized today throttles the independent producer.

Asta Nielson's "Hamlet" stood no more show of being exhibited in a Broadway theater than Banquo's ghost.

Universal recently bought "Driven," which Charles Brabin produced independently, and boasted that it was the first independent film it had bought in years.

Much has been said about the community film theater movement. It seems to me that the only hope for that movement to succeed at this time is through the organization proposed by Hugo. That group it already set to the purpose of reaching people who do not attend the commercial theater. Those who have been prating about art for art's sake in the movies should find their opportunity for expression through the Hugo organization. At least, Hugo should see to it that they do find their opportunity.

VOLA VALE (SOUNDS LIKE A CHORUS GIRL'S PSEUDONYM). SHE'S IN A MOVIE CALLED "MOTHERS-IN-LAW."

BRITISH SPINNERS WAR ON DYERS

MANCHESTER, March 23.—A protest has been made to the Master Cotton Spinners association by British dyers against the action of the spinners in sending their goods to Belgium to be dyed. The trade has been affected seriously in Lancashire.

The manufacturers claim they are able to send the goods to Belgium to be dyed and then send them back to England at less cost than to have the work done here, and refuse to change their plans unless the price is decreased.

LIVING CHEAPER IN FINLAND

HELSINGFORS, Finland, March 23.—The cost of living in Finland decreased eleven points during January. This is the largest decrease recorded since the war.

BLACK AND WHITE

Black taffeta is frequently combined with white batiste or white lace in the spring frocks. Aprons, tunics, guimps and overblouses of white relieve the plainness of the dark silk and add to the smartness.

WALTER E. GUYETTE, Auctioneer
53 CENTRAL ST. Telephone 2415

HIGHLANDS—Near Midland st., 7-room cottage, gas, bath, hot and cold water, open plumbing, room for garage. Price $3900. M. Gomes, Banker's Exchange Corp., 200 Central st.

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Announcements

LOST AND FOUND 2

DIAMOND STICK PIN—Reward, write H-93, Sun Office.

TORTOISE SHELL GLASSES in case lost on Merrimack st. Saturday. Reward 404 Stevens st. Tel. 6292-M.

Automobiles

OVERLAND ROADSTER for sale, 1920, new Royal Cord tires on rear. Car in good repair. It is no junk. Reason for sale, too small for my business. Tel. 6395 or 3424-W.

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SERVICE STATION 12

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ELECTRIC SERVICE 15

COTE ELECTRICAL CO—Electric motor and magneto service, new and second hand motors bought and sold. 531 Dutton st. Tel. 6372. Residence Tel. 4087-J.

GARAGES TO LET 29

INDIVIDUAL STALLS for automobiles, rent $5 month. Inquire 18 Fourth st.

Business Service

MOVING AND TRUCKING 30

J. BURKE & SON—94 Lilley ave. Tel. 2696. Furniture moving, local and long distance, reasonable prices.

SAND, GRAVEL AND LOAM—Heavy trucking. E. F. Purcell Sons, 289 Fairmount st. Tel. 1489-W.

M. J. FEENEY, piano and furniture moving, 19 Kinsman st. Tel. 6475-W.

Legal Notices

March 9, 1923.

Written application, in accordance with the public statutes, has been made to the Lowell Trust Company for the issuance of a duplicate of deposit book No. 426, Time Deposit Department, said book having been either lost, stolen, or destroyed.

J. F. CONNORS, Actuary.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.—Middlesex ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Elizabeth H. Foye, late of Lowell in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by William P. Foye, who pays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the third day of April, A. D. 1923, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, George F. Lawton, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fifteenth day of March in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three.

F. M. ESTY, Register.

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225 GORHAM ST. LOWELL
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STORAGE ROOMS for furniture and pianos, $1.50 and $2 per month, also furniture and piano moving. O. F. Prentiss, 356 Bridge st. Tel. 126.

STORAGE FOR FURNITURE and pianos, large enough for two-horse load. M. A. Mahoney 18 Fourth st.

CHIMNEYS CLEANED 37

CHIMNEYS SWEPT, $2.50 a flue. J. M. Kelley, 171 Appleton st. Tel. 4711-M.

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CHIMNEY and slate roof repairing, smoky chimneys a specialty. J. M. Kelley, 191 Appleton st. Tel. 4711-M.

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QUINN STOVE REPAIR CO., 140 Middlesex st., sell linings, grates and other parts to fit all stoves and ranges. Work promptly attended to by expert repair men. Tel. 4170.

HAVE YOUR STOVE TRIMMINGS polished and nickel plated. Hegan and Kirwin, 37 Shattuck st. Tel. 2667.

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SKIN, BLOOD AND NERVOUS DISEASES
RHEUMATISM, neuralgia, neuritis, lumbago, sciatica, rheumatoid, arthritis, gout, catarrh, epilepsy.
CANCER, TUMORS, Piles, Fistula and rectal diseases WITHOUT THE KNIFE.
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LOWELL OFFICE, 97 CENTRAL ST. Hours—Wed. and Sat. 2-4 and 7-8
CONSULTATION FREE

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UPHOLSTERY and furniture repairing. Tel 3430 and will bring you samples. 598 Middlesex st. You save money.

FURNITURE upholstered, refinished, repaired like new. Lowell Furniture Repair Shop. Tel. 5655, 5 Lincoln sq.

UPHOLSTERING and cushions of all kinds. Coray, 48 Coral st. Tel. 1959.

UPHOLSTERING—Furniture repairing. G. Gutt, 884 Bridge st. Telephone.

Employment

HELP WANTED—FEMALE 50

Girls—Operators—Girls
A chance to learn a good, clean, interesting occupation and be paid while learning. We have a plant with up-to-date workrooms and machines. Call and have a talk with our superintendent, Mr. McManus.
WHITALL MFG. COMPANY
99 Willie Street

WOMAN wanted for housework at 74 Thorndike st.

SEVERAL WOMEN wanted to distribute coupons in Lowell, experience not necessary, those speaking French will be favored. Straight salary. Apply 2.30 p. m. J. S. Clapp, American House.

GIRL wanted. Wet Wash, 117 Cambridge st.

LADIES wanted to canvass in spare time. Good commission. Those interested write C-36, Sun Office.

HELP WANTED—MALE 51

WANTED
SOLE LAYERS ON McKAY SHOES
— Apply —
A. G. Walton & Co.
2 West St. Lawrence, Mass.

SHOE MAKER wanted. Coughlin, 14 Prescott st.

Financial

MONEY TO LOAN 60

$3000 WANTED—12 per cent interest and $600 bonus. Full and complete security. Quick action necessary. Write Robert Dean, "Deancroft," Nashua, N. H.

CASH WAITING for 2d and 3d mortgages. Reply P. O. Box 1057.

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES 58

"BEAUTY PARLOR" for sale, fully equipped and doing a good business. Owner leaving town. Price only $1000. Sterling B. Crosby, 116 Central st.

FRUIT AND CONFECTIONERY store for sale, doing good business. Must leave town at once. Apply 463 Gorham st.

SHOE SHINE PARLOR for sale. Inquire 6 Fletcher st., or 273 Middlesex st.

Livestock

PETS 68

IMPORTED GERMAN ROLLERS, Yorkshires, 40 females, breeding cages. 259 Lakeview ave.

CANARIES for sale, imported German rollers, high colored yellow birds, good singers, 467 Central st.

FANCY ROOSTERS for sale, all kinds. Lowell Live Poultry Exchange, Tel. 6635, 314 Market st.

Livestock

POULTRY 71

81 WHITE LEGHORN PULLETS for sale, all laying (10th of last June birds), also one White Leghorn rooster, Kerr's stock, $48 for lot, or will sell in lots. 60 Clifton st., South Lowell.

LOWELL LIVE POULTRY EXCHANGE pays the highest price for poultry of all kinds, rabbits, ducks and pigeons. 314 Market st. Tel 5635.

Merchandise

ARTICLES FOR SALE 72

15 HOT BED FRAMES, also new, 3x6, for sale; also 30 window frames for house. Will sell at reasonable price. 32 Hampson st., Dracut. Peter Leagans. Tel. 4586-W.

U. S. RUBBERS and KEDS. Special lot, odd sizes, rubbers. Children's 25c, ladies' 35c and 50c, 146 Pine st.

FURNITURE for sale, 17 Cambridge Place.

BAKER'S MILL REMNANT STORE—Moved to 212 Merrimack st.

GAS RANGES—In perfect condition, as good as new, $15, $18 and $22. O. F. Prentiss, 356 Bridge st. Stovink 25c.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS 80

PIANOS—A few good bargains in new and used ones, at Hounsell's, 704 Bridge st., near 10th st. Open evenings. Tel. 6013-M.

USED PIANOS—A few good bargains in used pianos and player pianos. Prices are right. Instruments guaranteed. Bon Marche.

RAZORS HONED 84

RAZORS HONED—A man who has honed razors for a good part of 40 years should know something about it. That's why our expert gives satisfaction always. He does the same quality work on safety razor blades also. Howard, 187 Central st.

FURS 83

FUR COAT PLAN—For information Phone Home Fur Co., G. B. Moody, 675-J.

HOME FUR CO.—Spring and summer furs. Large and beautiful assortment, moderately priced. Phone 678-J.

Wanted

MISCELLANEOUS 88

ROOMS PAPERED from $3 up, including stock, whitewashing, painting and plastering. J. J. Hayden & Sons, 40 Union st. Tel. 1642-J.

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Real Estate For Rent

APARTMENTS—TENEMENTS 94

STORE with tenement to let. Inquire Dr. Sawyer, 86 Vernon st.

TENEMENT to let—Four nice sunny rooms, all modern improvements. Inquire 167 Howard st.

5-ROOM FLAT to let in Highlands, thoroughly modern, sunny, adults only. Inquire 146 Pine st.

5-ROOM TENEMENT, all modern improvements. 115 Howard st.

TENEMENT to let at 214 School st. Suitable for two families. Inquire at corner store.

6-ROOM TENEMENT down stairs, 9 Whiting st.

6-ROOM, UP-TO-DATE FLAT to let, all modern improvements, 23 Stevens st. Tel. 1067-W.

5-ROOM TENEMENT to let. Bath and open plumbing, 35 Ennell st. Inquire 69 High st.

HOUSES FOR SALE 101

3-TENEMENT HOUSE for sale, 5 rooms each, gas, bath, hot and cold water, pantry, piazzas. Price $5500. J. A. Norkunas, 225 Gorham st. Tel. 6767.

2-TENEMENT HOUSE for sale, 5 and 6 rooms each, with furnace heat, baths, hot and cold water, gas, electric light, built one year. Good condition for buy. Price $6200. J. A. Norkunas, 225 Gorham st. Tel. 6767.

21 TENEMENTS in five buildings for sale, near postoffice, dandy investment, yearly rent $3312. Price $22,000. J. A. Norkunas, 225 Gorham st. Tel. 6767.

9-TENEMENT HOUSE AND STORE on Adams st., near Broadway, for sale. Rents $108 a month. Price $7500. Easy terms. Inquire Glavis Bros., 436 Market st.

4-TENEMENT HOUSE on Marion st. for sale, 2 tenements of 4 rooms each and 2 tenements of 6 rooms each, electric lights, hardwood floors, land for garage. Collects $750 a year. Price $5500, $1000 cash. Easy terms. Inquire 436 Market st.

BRIGHT SUNNY COTTAGE for sale, upper Chelmsford st., 7 large rooms, bath; a real good home, for only $3300. Easy terms. Sterling B. Crosby, 116 Central st.

6-ROOM COTTAGE for sale, 7 Bagley ave., off Foster st., furnace, bath, electric lights.

2-TENEMENT HOUSE for sale near Smith st. 5 rooms each, excellent repair. Price $4200. Easy terms. D. F. Leary, Hildreth Bldg.

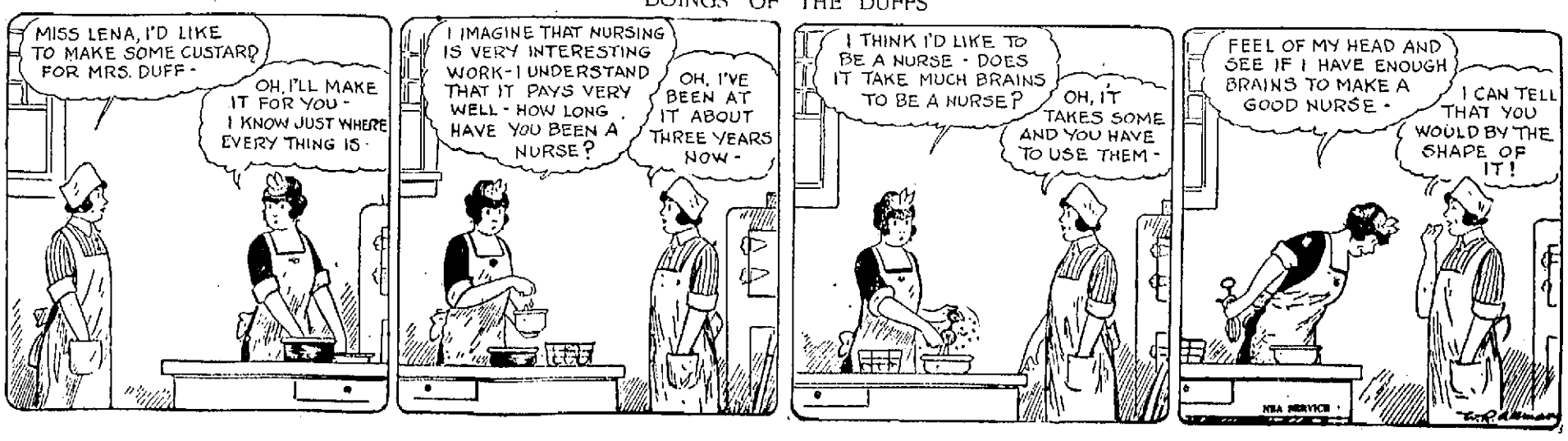
7-ROOM COTTAGE for sale, near Sacred Heart church, large yard. Price $3200. D. F. Leary, Hildreth Bldg.

7-ROOM COTTAGE for sale near Lincoln st., bath, slate roof, all square rooms. Price $3000. D. F. Leary, Hildreth Bldg.

2-TENEMENT HOUSE for sale near Westford st. 7 rooms each, new roof, newly painted, excellent location, $500 cash. Price $5100. D. F. Leary, Hildreth Bldg.

6-ROOM COTTAGE for sale near Foster and Westford sts, gas, electricity, furnace heat, now vacant. Price $3800. D. F. Leary, Hildreth Bldg.

DOINGS OF THE DUFFS



LOWELL'S GREATEST NEWSPAPER

THE LOWELL SUN

FRIDAY EVENING MARCH 23, 1923

APPRECIATION OF MUSIC

New England Conservatory Professor Opens Lecture Course in High School

Prof. Stuart Mason of the New England Conservatory of Music last night opened his lecture course in the music room of the Lowell high school, the general subject being "Appreciation of Music," under the auspices of the State University Extension division. There was a large attendance and many enrolled for the entire course of ten lectures. The lectures are to be given every Thursday evening at 7.30 o'clock and there will be chances for enrollments from now until April 4. After that date only enrolled students will be admitted to the courses.

During his lecture last evening, Prof. Mason gave an outline of music, summarizing his subject beginning with rhythm, the first principle of all music. He explained how ancient savages used percussion instruments, such as drums, with their primitive instruments. Later people evolved the idea of melody by means of so-called pipes. Later on a tone scale was fixed so that a melodic outline for music might be obtained. Scales were developed in the Far East in the early days, but they were different from present-day major and minor scales.

ager of the Veterans' bureau, Com-

The lecturer also explained the beginnings of counterpoint—combinations of melodies, which at the beginning of the 17th century developed into the present idea of a musical composition composed of a melody accompanied by harmonious music as a background.

From the 17th century comes a succession of great names—Beethoven, of the romance school, representing the present day, and Schumann expressing nationality in the music of "new departures." The professor starting with the lecture next Thursday will, in detail, take up the essentials that help in the appreciation of music, both for musicians and music lovers. He illustrates various points in each lecture on the piano, this being a most helpful feature of the talks. The piano used yesterday is badly out of tune and squeaky and should be adjusted.

SPRING HAT WEEK ENDS TOMORROW

Spring is here and so are the new spring hats. For the past week the men's apparel stores of the city have been displaying all the leaders in the popular new designs and colors and shapes. Men! have you got under one of the latest hat creations? If you haven't now is the time for you to do so. Don't put it off until next week. Get that new hat tomorrow. Easter is at hand! You are discriminating; you know how it feels to sport up-to-date headgear and join the merry springtime throng. Remember, too, that no matter what the size, shape or style you prefer, there's a hat somewhere in the chain of men's hat shops presenting their 1923 offerings of spring hats that will fit you. Remember also that this is Spring Hat week in Lowell. March 17 to 24 were the dates. Don't wait until Easter. Spruce up. Make it a point to visit one of the men's stores tomorrow and select your 1923 spring headgear.

MORNING ASSEMBLY AT THE HIGH SCHOOL

The Monday morning assembly at the high school will be resumed next week. Mr. Henry H. Harris has arranged a musical program for this affair that will be given by students of the school. Miss Sarah Mason will give two piano selections, namely the "Minuet," by Mozart, and "Le Cavalier Fantastique," by Godard. Lorenzo Goddu will sing "The Clang of the Forge," by Rodney, and "Cato's Advice," by Huhn. Harry Sargent will accompany Mr. Goddu.

Previously, Mr. Harris has had speakers or singers at these assemblies who have come from out of town, and the expense has been more than the finances could stand, so now he intends to give programs by high school pupils as much as he can, as he believes it will increase interest in these assemblies and also will awaken the students to the opportunities offered in the professions of music and singing.

TO REPAIR VETERANS HOUSE AT THE WEIRS

Lowell business men are donating prizes to be awarded winners in the whist playing contests that are to feature the afternoon and evening event to be held Thursday, March 29, in aid of the Lowell Association of New Hampshire Veterans. Supper will be served in Post 120 hall at 6 p. m., and whist will be played afternoon and evening. Mrs. Ada Myrick will be in charge of the supper, and the whist socials in charge of Mrs. J. B. Daniels and Mrs. W. A. Coburn.

There are but eight known members of the Lowell Association of New Hampshire Veterans now living, six of them residing in Lowe and vicinity. The money to be derived from the March 29 whist parties and supper, will be devoted principally to repairing the veterans' house at the Weirs in New Hampshire, a structure now some 40 years old and in need of renovating in order to provide more comforts for the veterans who go there in August for a period of about two weeks.

The active committee of ladies seeking to provide prizes for the veterans' whist social are now visiting business men of the city, who are very generously responding to appeals for donations for the worthy cause.

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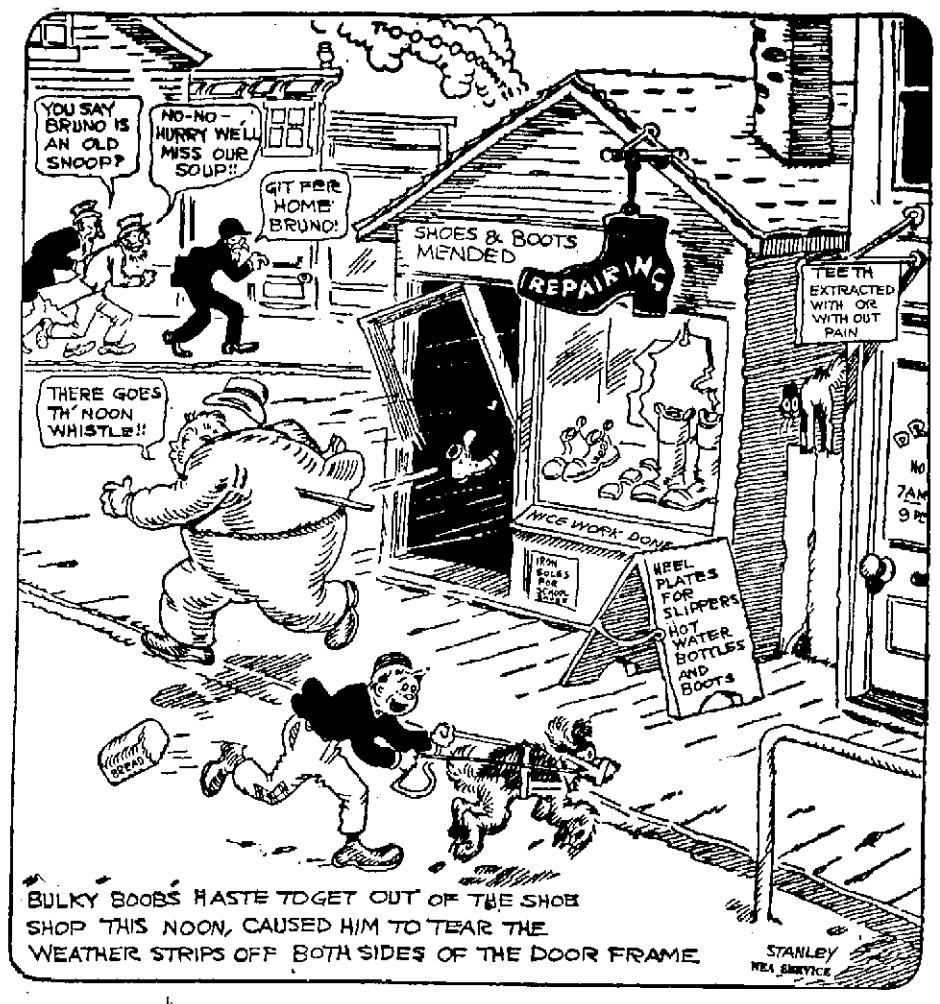
Stop sneezing! Try the new way, no other way so quick, so easy, so pleasant as to use Dows' Menthol Cream, 25c.

Robert J. Thomas, Jr., won a Waltham gold watch prize in a drawing recently conducted for the benefit of a sick member of Local N. 280, Street Carmen's union.

Robert Thompson and Harvey B. Greene will speak tonight in the hall of the Massachusetts Cotton mills before the "S and E club" of the mills. There will also be an illustrated lecture on geology. After the program refreshments will be served.

THE OLD HOME TOWN



WILL SUPERVISE LOCAL POSTOFFICE WORK

Postmaster Delisle has received notification from the postmaster-general that Superintendent of Construction Booth of the department would arrive in Lowell the first of next week to supervise the remodelling of the local postoffice, and would remain here until all the work is done.

This is in line with the general policy of the government for supervision of extensive alterations, and practically no work can be done on a government building without the direct approval of the government's supervisor. Upon Mr. Booth's arrival it is expected that work on the postoffice will go ahead rapidly. Up to the present the work has mostly been preparatory to the laying of girders, and the partitioning of Room 1 into a work-room and toilet.

WELCOME LETTER

"Approbation From Sir Hubert is Praise Indeed"

Manager Maurice McCormack of the street railway company has received the following letter from a resident of the Chelmsford street section of the city. The letter is just the opposite to most of those received at the company's office and for this reason it is valued highly.

"A few weeks ago I wrote to you complaining of the service on the Chelmsford Center line at the time I usually go home. For the last two or three weeks you have given us a car at 6.25 p. m. so regularly that I think you are deserving of the thanks of the passengers. If none of the other regular passengers have done so, I assure you that they also appreciate it. I miss it occasionally but am willing to wait once in a while if I can ways been a hard line to keep time on

The Chelmsford Center line has always been a hard line to keep on time because of heavy traffic and a single track beyond Lincoln square, but by the addition of extra cars to act as "set-backs" during the rush hours, service has been practically normal there for the past two or three weeks.

PAWTUCKETVILLE CLUB WILL HELP STRIKERS

The members of the Pawtuckeville Social club are going to do their bit in helping the cause of the strikers of the Boston & Maine car shops. At a meeting of the organization held last evening with President Alphonse Fortier in the chair a communication was read from the B. & M. Federated Crafts asking that the club lend a helping hand to the needy strikers and after some discussion it was voted to organize a smoke talk for the benefit of the strikers. The following committee was appointed to make all arrangements: Frank Allard, Zenon Morrissette and Arthur H. Giroux.

BAN ON MOTOR TRUCKS IN NEW HAMPSHIRE

Lowell Automobile Merchants' association members have been notified that heavily-loaded motor trucks will be temporarily banned from all highways in New Hampshire, beginning at midnight, March 24, and continuing for an indefinite period until the ban is officially removed.

The New Hampshire order announces that all motor vehicles of a gross weight exceeding three tons and horse-drawn vehicles of a gross weight exceeding two tons are, until further notice, barred from use of trunk lines, cross state and state aid highways in the state of New Hampshire.

This regulation promulgated by the New Hampshire highway commissioner and approved by the governor and council of the state is competent in law. The regulation specifies "gross weight," which will in most instances defeat any attempt to transport a pay load in other than the lightest type of truck.

Truckmen have been warned that violations of the above regulations will, without question, result in serious personal inconvenience, financial loss, court appearances and legal litigations as the New Hampshire authorities are determined to prevent destruction of their highways during the spring season.

POPULAR EVENTS AT THE HIGH SCHOOL

Two of the most popular events of the drill season at the high school for both the boys and the girls will be held during the month of April.

Boys' Drill Night is scheduled for April 13, and the members of the regiment are practicing both individual and company drill and are sprucing themselves up on the execution of orders. This affair always draws a big crowd of interested on-lookers and is always worth seeing, and this year's event is going to be just a little better than anything ever put on before.

Girls' Gym Night is the other event scheduled for April, coming on the 27th, and this is always interesting. The officers and members of the girls' battalions are working now on exercises for this affair, and they promise many new and intricate exhibitions.

SWEDISH LAYMEN ELECT

WORCESTER, March 23.—At the laymen's conference opened this morning in connection with the 23rd annual session of the Eastern Swedish Methodist conference here, these officers were elected:

GRADUATION EXERCISES

Textile Evening Classes Will Graduate April 11—Mr. Chas. W. Gow, Speaker

Mr. Charles W. Gow, of the Associated Industries of Massachusetts will be the speaker at the graduation exercises of the evening classes of the Textile school to be held in the Auditorium of the school on April 11. Mayor Donovan will present certificates to the graduates at these exercises, and the regular program of entertainment will be carried out.

The evening classes are supported by the city of Lowell, and the graduation exercises are open to the public. The complete program of the exercises and the subject of Mr. Gow's address will be made public at a later date.

PLAN FOR REPARATIONS SETTLEMENT

WASHINGTON, March 3.—A proposal that European business men work out a plan for reparations settlement, based on American financial co-operation, was laid today before the delegates to the second meeting of the international chamber of commerce in Rome by Fred I. Kent, vice president of the Bankers Trust Co. of New York and a member of the American delegation.

Coupled with the proposal was the assertion by Mr. Kent that there was a "great waiting group" in the United States, ready to support such a move before the American public.

A summary of Mr. Kent's address, made public here by the American section of the international chamber, contained the suggestion that a portion of allied indebtedness to the United States might be exchangeable for "positive agreement" between the allies and Germany on reparations that "included the amount and methods and times of payment and that can and will be lived up to."

SWITZERLAND AND HOLLAND PROTEST

LONDON, March 23.—Holland and Switzerland, as the neutral powers most directly affected by interference with international trade in the Rhineland, have decided to take steps to obtain unrestricted rights on the Rhine, according to the diplomatic correspondent of the Telegraph.

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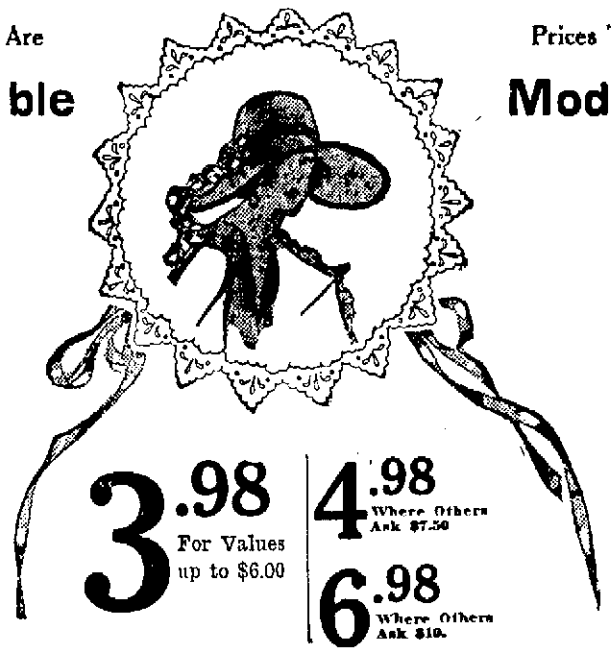

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